

Abbotsford, Sumas & Matsqui News

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Ten Cents per Month.

LARGE GATHERING HONORS MEMORY OF SCOTCH BARD

The comfortable lodge quarters of the Orange hall were overtaken last Friday to accommodate the supper participants of the Burns' night observance, two "sittings" being necessary to victual the hungry visitors. There was no stinting in the abundance or variety of dishes served, of course scones, haggis, oatmeal cookies and similar dainties of Scottish favor bulking appetizingly in the menu.

Chairman of the evening was Rev. R. Moses, who qualified himself by rolling his r's musically and relating touching incidents concerning his boyhood days in an Anglo-Scottish locale.

Another speaker, Mr. G. F. Pratt, also replete with a hearty feast Caledonian, lapsed momentarily to recount a Hudson's Bay label "upon the English" in his toast to the "Land of Our Adoption."

Senior raconteurs having thus set the example, eulogies veered to the humorous tempo, in which were some historical "records" of origin of the "Caledonian Society" as toasted by Mr. Gerald Heller.

The Immortal Memory

Toast of the evening was "The Immortal Memory" executed by Rev. J. McTurk of Chilliwack, whose rare ability to effectively quote the great bard made of his discourse a thing of poetic beauty.

Early days in the west were portrayed by Mr. H. Fraser in narration of entertaining personal incidents. In recalling those early days, we were all McKay's, Mac-this or Mac-that—it seemed that everybody had a Scottish name! she observed in responding to a toast to "The Land of Our Adoption."

Mr. E. Webster and Mr. Jas. Ross (Mission) also made remarks at the invitation of the chairman, as did Mr. W. Stewart, president of the Caledonian Society.

Selkirk grace was given Mr. W. Reyburn, and a toast to "The King" was charged by the chairman who introduced the evening's program as observation of the 177th anniversary of Robert Burns.

"Auld Lang Syne" closed the happy supper occasion, after which the crowd went upstairs to enjoy the public dance.

MATSQUI

Mr. Godfrey Kemprud of Vancouver has been visiting his parents here.

Mr. John Olsen is recovering from a severe attack of pleurisy.

Mr. A. Ebbeson, who is attending Vancouver Normal School, spent the week-end at his home.

Miss Lilian Farman has returned to Vancouver after a month's visit at her home here.

Mrs. A. Beaton is visiting with friends in Vancouver for a week.

Monthly meeting of the P.T.A. is on Friday in the public school.

"Movie Snapshots of Far Eastern Places" is title of a two-hour illustrated travel lecture in Clayburn United church tomorrow (Thursday) at 8 p.m. by Mr. Gerald Heller. This will be final showing locally of these pictures.

A total of 110 summonses have been issued by B.C. Coast Vegetable Marketing Board for infractions of the vegetable marketing act since commencement of operations last year.

ABBOTSFORD THEATRE

"Always—A Good Show"
F. A. STOCKWELL, Mgr. & Lessee

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, January 31st & February 1st—
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN! HERE'S A SHOW—

"TOP HAT"

FRED ASTAIR, GINGER ROGERS and Edward Everett Horton

A gay and glorious romance...with huge scenes of lavish splendor! Debonair Fred at his incomparable best...the distracting Ginger in her most impish mood...five tremendous song hits...five matchless demonstrations of terpsichorean grace and nimbleness...scores of lovely girls...four favorite supporting comedy personalities...scenes of breath-taking beauty. You will hear these melodies and behold these great dances: "No Strings"—"Isn't This a Lovely Day"—"Top Hat"—"Cheek to Cheek"—"Piccolino"

THE GREATEST MUSICAL COMEDY TRIUMPH YET!

Cartoon —and— Novelty Reel
Shows 7 and 9 each evening. Adults 25c; Children under 14, 15c
SPECIAL MATINEE Saturday at 2:30; Adults 25c; Children 10c

WEDNESDAY, February 5th at 7 & 9 p.m.

CARL LAEMMLE PRESENTS:

EDMUND LOWE in

Dashell Hammett's Cracking Successor to "The Thin Man"

"Mr. Dynamite"

with Jean Dixon, Esther Ralston, Victor Varconi, Matt McHugh and Verna Hillie. Detective story lovers! Here's a fast new Dashell Hammett super-sleuth yarn more exciting than "The Thin Man"—Quint and Flagg fans, here's Edmund Lowe with a new partner—this time a fascinating female who can out-wisecrack him at top style! Mystery seekers: here's your chance to solve the great Organ Murder Mystery! Everybody: Here's grand entertainment! See Mr. Dynamite!

Comedy Cartoon Travelogue

Shows at 7 and 9; Come Early! Adults 25c; Children under 14, 15c

Look Out for Charley's Aunt—She's Coming!

Community Attends Church In Heartfelt Service of Mourning

"There are times when words are necessary to express one's emotions; and there are times when words are inadequate."

"Words are not adequate upon this occasion; let us stand and observe a period of reverential silence."

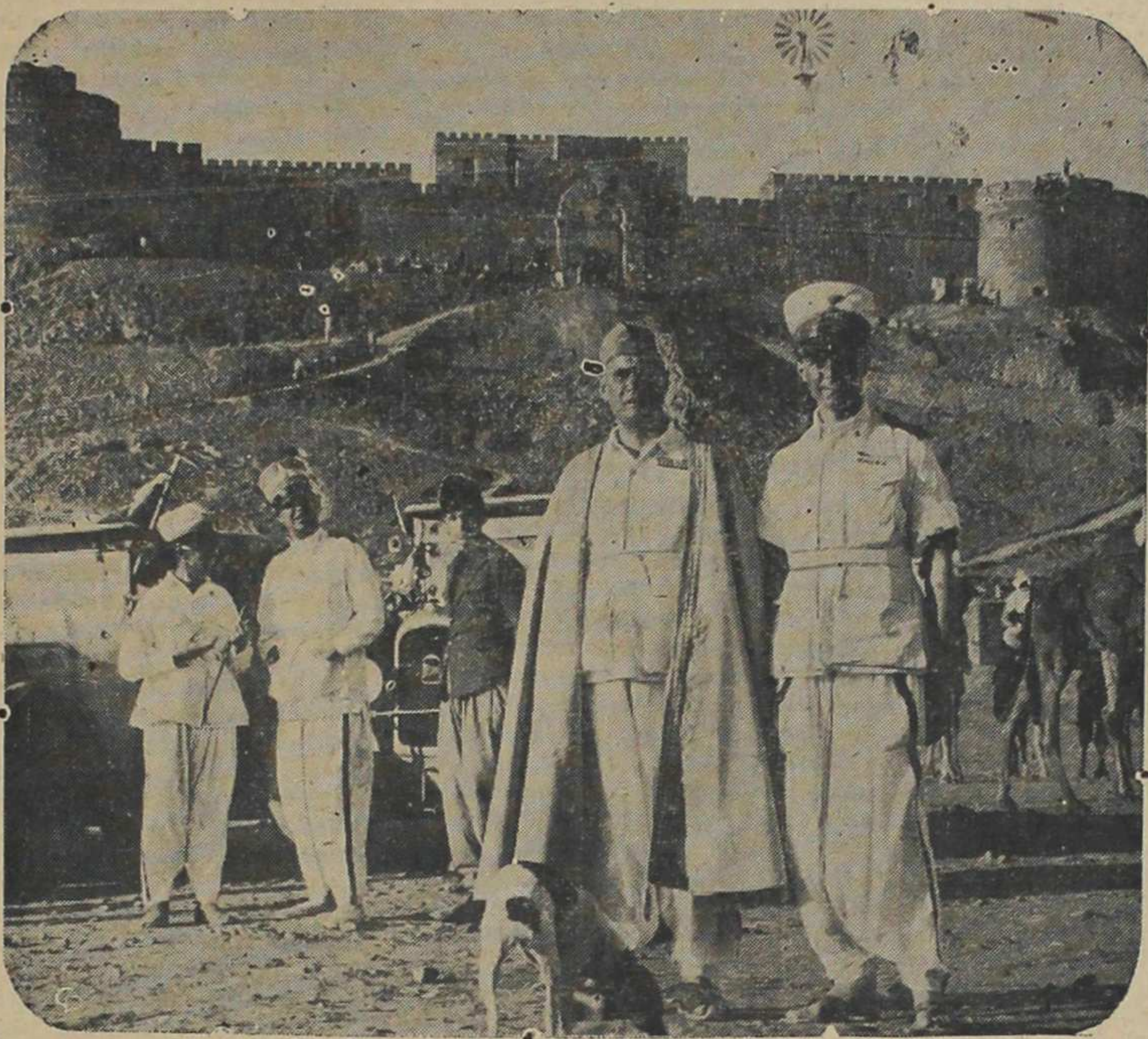
In was in such a vein of poignant mourning that the Rev. R. Moses, pastor of Abbotsford Trinity church, lead the community service yesterday upon the occasion of the funeral of his late Majesty, King George V.

Although formally attended by the entire personnel of municipal councils, a delegation of the Canadian Legion, and by pastors of other local Protestant churches, the service was not merely formal. It was an impressive demonstration of mutual grief in the loss of a beloved sovereign, and a sincere tribute by the entire community to love for a good man who was a king.

The beautiful hymn "Peace, Perfect, Peace" opened the service, which lasted but 40 minutes. Prayers and readings by Rev. Mr. Scratch (Pentecostal), Rev. Mr. Clark (Clayburn United), Rev. Mr. Lawrence (Nazarene) and Rev. J. Bury (British Israel) followed. Piper Walsh played "Lament" upon the bagpipes, and the closing hymn was "Abide With Me."

Needless to report, the little church was filled to overflowing, many of those present walking several miles to Abbotsford to attend.

Seasonal Rains Will Soon Check Italian War Offensive



MT. LEHMAN

Misses Evelyn and Ruth Redford have left to reside in Vancouver.

Guests artists from Vancouver will be present at a concert and dance this week in aid of the sports fund.

Miss Arnould, district school nurse, addressed a meeting of parents in Mt. Lehman school last week, on the subject "Infectious Diseases". Tea was served by the teachers, Miss L. Owen and Miss Tebbutt.

Several young men have returned to logging camps up the coast, and others expect to leave shortly.

Nels Olund is renovating the farm buildings at "Killarney" the M. Murphy farm, Sumas Prairie, for Dr. Saunders, who has bought the place. Purchase price is said to have been \$9,000 cash for the 100 acres, with large buildings.

KETTLE HEADS POPLAR F. I.

Annual meeting of Poplar Farmers' institute, held last week, resulted in the following appointments:

L. J. Kettle is president; J. Goertzen, vice-president; W. S. Hill-Tout secretary-treasurer; executive—H. C. Green, E. Poy, F. Butcher, J. Aitken R. J. Laxton.

Reviewing a successful year's program, mention was made of several lectures of high educational value, which the institute sponsored, and 320 cases of stumping powder handled for members. The institute ended the year with a balance of \$234.

Plans for 1936 aim to widen the scope of the group, increase membership and sponsor a potato club for youths of the district.

Error in School Tax Notices

The provincial assessor advises local taxpayers as follows by circular: "For the year 1935, the requisition for the 'Fraser Valley Union Library' was submitted to this office... the amount was added to the School Board requisition and pro-rated to the taxpayer. This dual assessment caused a great deal of misunderstanding, so it was decided to leave the Library assessment for 1936 to the municipal authorities. In stamping these notices, your notice for 1936 was stamped 'School and Library Taxes.' This was a clerical error. The assessment is for 'school' only."

Dalip Singh, known locally, is alleged to have swallowed a promissory note existing between himself and Kehar Singh Gill for settlement of a debt of \$300. The swallowing is said to have occurred in W. M. Gilchrist's (barrister) office, New Westminster on Dec. 23. Magistrate H. L. Edmunds, who heard the case, committed the accused.

Mr. John A. McDonald's father is ill at his home in Vancouver.

NOTICE

Dr. J. Lukas announces that dental clinic cases will occupy his attention during the mornings of Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of each week.

Special—
PLATE LUNCH 25c
Friday & Saturday
Merritt's
Cafe
Next to Safeway L. Merritt

ABBOTSFORD

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Van Lieu, Gladwin road, included Mr. W. White and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Berry of New Westminster, and Mr. and Mrs. G. D. McLean and Mr. and Mrs. H. Ackley and daughter Bessie of Vancouver.

Daniel Smith of Chilliwack spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Smith, Gladwin road.

Mrs. Thos. McMillan is a patient in the local hospital.

A mild epidemic of measles is afflicting the district and affecting the local school attendance. Another harbinger of spring?

Mr. R. R. Donaldson of Bradner is very ill in the M.S.A. hospital. He fell from a scaffold a few weeks ago, and broke several ribs. Pneumonia has now set in.

Matsqui Council Wins Re-election Over Well-Organized And Spirited Opposition

Matsqui municipal council was returned to office by Saturday's ballot with a decisive mandate to "carry on." While outcome of the election insofar as the reeve and at least two members of the Council was concerned was at no time in doubt, the emphatic endorsement of sound policies of municipal administration leave no question as to the electorate's unwillingness to experiment with unproven theories.

Reeve Issues Strong Manifesto

Partly as a rebuttal of campaign statements and partly as an account of his stewardship, Reeve Cruickshank issued a copy of his manifesto to every ratepayer prior to election, and he amplified upon these points at the various municipal meetings. Although at times there were a few personal exchanges between Rev. E. H. Baker and G. A. Cruickshank, the election campaign brought little of old-time verbosity that sometimes resulted in a bitter overhang.

Close finish in ward three was perhaps to have been expected in view of the relief problems there, which the councillor suggests may have been aggravated by political influences. This ward polled 40 votes more than last year, the largest vote in its history. Following is a complete record of the ballot by poll:

	Municipal Hall	Aberdeen	Peardonville	Bradner	Mt. Lehman	Glen Valley	Abbotsford	Clayburn	Poplar	Matsqui	Total	Majority
BAKER, Edwin H.	19	30	34	36	20	3	53	37	51	39	322	
CRUICKSHANK, G.	33	55	26	45	40	11	86	57	29	125	508	186
MELANDER, V. H.	13	29	31					57	56	42	155	
TOWLAN, James	36	56	26								118	45
AYLING, Fred T.								83	39	37	159	4
KETTLE, L. J.											94	24
GOODCHILD, Thos.											70	70
JACOBSON, O. T.												

TUNNELING FOR GOLD ON BOTH SIDES OF SUMAS MT.

"There's gold in them hills" declared an old-timer last spring, indicating Sumas mountain. Spring-fever and proximity combined to start something....

Above Musselwhite cemetery, at the instance of Mining Engineer Bruce Henderson a tunnel was driven. One hundred feet in good color was found, and report has it some machinery is to be installed to proceed with development. Henderson's company comprises eight partners, among them Mr. Connor, Sumas, Wash. garage-man.

Diamond Drilled Four Test Holes

Imbued with a like optimism, Thos. York and O. Walstrom, well-known Sumas prairie residents, started work with a diamond drill last spring upon the mountainside above McKay's place. "We put down four 100-foot holes," Tommy stated, "And we've encountered showings of gold and silver."

Thirty years ago, an Australian named Scott started this kind of gold prospecting on Sumas, and hopes yet intermittently run high.

Well, some of us go fishing in the spring; and some of us go prospecting. What's your excuse?

Matsqui & Sumas Plowing Association

MEETING

will be held in Legion Club on
WEDNESDAY, FEB. 1 at 8 p.m.

All interested cordially invited.

Order Eastern Star

COURT WHIST AND DANCE
in ODDFELLOWS HALL on
THURSDAY, JANUARY 30; 8 p.m.

25c; — Good Prizes — Refreshments

IN MEMORY OF

KING GEORGE V.

E. A. HUNT

R. Purple Ladies Name Officers

Installation of officers for the ensuing year took place at the meeting of the ladies of the Royal Purple Lodge this week, as follows:

Honored royal lady, Mrs. H. Conway; associate honored royal lady, Mrs. A. Tracey; royal loyal lady, Mrs. W. Crossley; royal lecturing lady, Mrs. E. Boley; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Shore; royal conductress, Mrs. H. Atkins; chaplain, Mrs. P. Wilson; guards, Mesdames Ashdown and Rowley.

FREE DENTAL CLINIC STARTS HERE FOR SCHOOL PUPILS

A dental clinic for the pupils in the Abbotsford, Sumas and Matsqui school district, commences this week. This service, which includes extractions, filling and cleaning, is free of charge, and children have the option of going to either of the two Abbotsford dentists. Transportation is provided the children to the dental offices from the schools.

Pupils from North Poplar and Upper Sumas schools are to be attended first.

Rose Theatre

SUMAS, WASH.

SATURDAY & SUNDAY
February 1st and 2nd—

THE MARX BROTHERS in

"A Night at the Opera"

The funniest picture in 10 years. It is guaranteed for a million laughs.
Silly Symphony
Admission 15c and 35c

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 5th—

WARNER OLUND in

"Charlie Chan's Secret"

Thrilling mystery in Oland's inimitable style.
Comedy Novelty Reel
Admission 15c

Delicatessen!

They Make Meals Much More Tasty!

I have in stock a full supply of sauces pickles and relishes that are rarely carried in small communities. If you want "something different" for the party or for your home table drop in see this selection. And its priced RIGHT and LOW!

ROBERTS' MEAT MARKET

Essendene Ave. (next Gilmour's)

Nothing more enjoyable just now than our delicious
Hot Chocolate

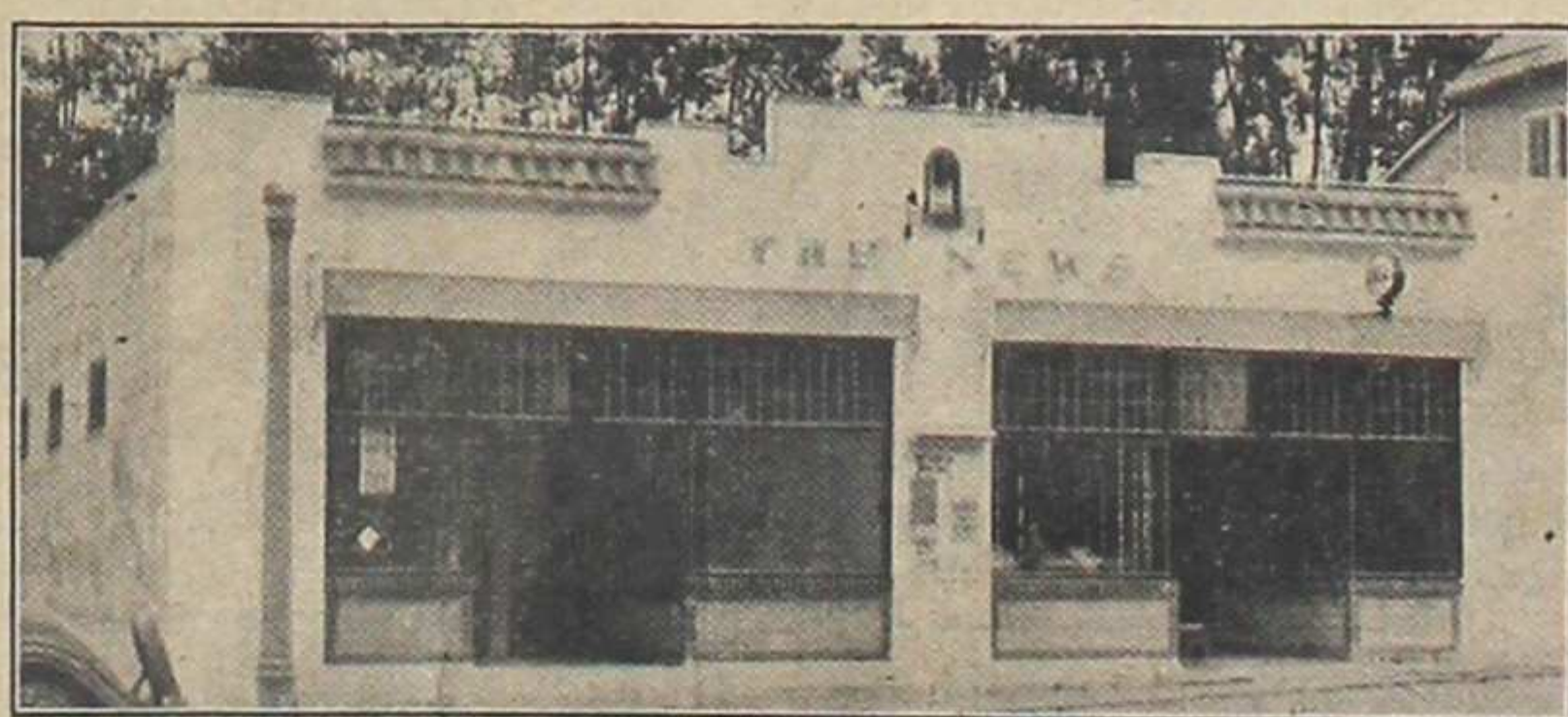
Toasted Sandwiches

Stirling's Confectionery

Next door to Delf's Store
Phone 112

Built for Endurance!

with
'Abbotsford' Lumber and Shingles



Abbotsford Lumber Company, Ltd.

E. J. TRETHERWEY, Pres Telephone 10 J. K. DeBRISAY, Sec.

R. WALKER, Yard Manager

SEVEN YEARS' AGONY ENDED BY SASKASAL

First Bottle Brought Relief from Painful Rheumatism

Read this letter: "I had rheumatism for seven years and never left me night or day, pains something awful. I tried everything I could get, but nothing did me any good till I got Saskasal. I had not started to take it a week till I was a lot better, and am getting better all the time, and have not finished the first bottle. I can go to bed and don't have any pain like I had before I took Saskasal. I will sure recommend it to anyone that has rheumatism. If you suffer from rheumatism, lumbago or sciatica start taking Saskasal Mineral Salts now. At all drug stores—enough for 10 weeks' treatment 69c. 11

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The American Red Cross receives \$3,482,535 from the estate of Mrs. Clara A. Hapgood Higgins Smith, whose gross estate was appraised at \$4,928,804.

The city of Quetta, destroyed by earthquake last May, will be rebuilt on the same site as far as possible, the Indian government announced. The cost is estimated at \$300,000.

The name of the Manchester Babies' hospital has been changed, with the consent of the Duchess of York, to the Duchess of York Hospital for Babies.

A proposed French budget for 1936 of 40,000,000,000 francs (about \$2,600,000,000) providing heavy expenditures for the French army and navy had the approval of the senate.

William Tate of Sherman, Texas, is looking for a thief who should be well fixed for stormy weather. Someone made off with the farmer's storm cellar, leaving nothing but a hole.

Eastern Canada is taking an interest in Vancouver's diamond jubilee celebration next year, too. The city council is informed eastern business leaders will contribute more than \$50,000 to the expenses.

Highway traffic in England has increased by close to 50 per cent. in five years, the British Automobile Association said after a survey conducted for seven days at important centres.

Speaker Joseph Byrns of the U.S. house of representatives, said he would support proposals in congress for a stronger air force, an Alaskan aviation base and strengthened fortifications for Hawaii.

The 400 Indians and 200 white trappers operating in the Port Arthur district will have quite a nest egg next spring. To Dec. 28, the value of their catch was \$50,000, to which is added \$4,500 in government bounties.

The Halifax Chronicle celebrated its 112th birthday recently. On Dec. 29, 1824, "The Nova Scotian" was first printed with Joseph Howe its editor and publisher. The name was changed to "The Morning Chronicle" in 1844.

Canada's First Railroad

Centenary Will Be Celebrated In July Of This Year

Canada is shortly to celebrate yet another centenary, that of the opening of the first railroad in the Dominion. It covered 16 miles and bore the dignified title of the Champlain St. Lawrence Railroad. A charter for the construction of the line was granted in 1832, and the work begun three years later. Opened by Lord Gosport on July 21st, 1836, the line provided portage between the river ports of Laprairie, on the St. Lawrence, and St. Johns, on the Richelieu. The rails were of wood with flat, thin bars of iron spiked on. At first the cars were drawn by horses, but in 1837 the owners brought an engine—which they called "Kitten"—and an engine-driver from England, and a speed of 20 miles an hour was achieved. Later, further railroad construction was undertaken, and now the Dominion has one of the most extensive railway systems in the world.—Empire Review, London.

Want Woman In Cabinet

A woman cabinet member in the newly-elected Alberta Social Credit government and appointment of a woman police magistrate, in addition to a demand for women representatives on all governing bodies, were objectives of the Council of Women in Canada, approved at a meeting in Edmonton.

Ninety statues under the care of the office of works in London require the constant attention of six men to look after them.

The Soviet Union claims that its reserves contain almost three-fourths of the world's peat deposits.

New Cunard White Star Liner

"Queen Mary" Has Novel Illumination Never Before Seen On Any Vessel
The Cunard White Star liner "Queen Mary" will be the greatest "daylight" ship to take the seas, and will possess novel illumination schemes which have never before been incorporated in any vessel afloat.

At night the elaborate flood-lighting will transform the liner into a palace of colour, leaving a brilliant golden trail behind her as she glides swiftly across the dark seas.

But one of the principal features is the extensive use of glass throughout the ship. Natural lighting is the keynote of the passenger accommodation lounges and dining-rooms. The promenade deck is almost encased in glass which will stand any weather.

In the hull alone 2,500 square feet of glass has been used for the portholes, while thousands of additional square feet, aggregating hundreds of tons, are included in the staterooms and public rooms.

But there are several objects behind the idea of using so much glass. In addition to providing greater comfort for the passengers and avoiding too much artificial light there are certain hygienic considerations, and a small army of window-cleaners will be kept busy washing and polishing the thousands of panes of glass. The "Queen Mary", in fact, is a window-cleaners' paradise.

All the first-class staterooms which face the open sea are fitted with long glass sliding windows. In the main lounge there are 32 windows, each 13 feet high, and the children's playroom has five windows 12 feet high.

A novel system has been used in the verandah restaurant. The ornate window-sills are actually electric radiators which maintain an even temperature.

On one side of the restaurant is a beautifully designed balustrade illuminated by ever-changing coloured lights hidden underneath.

The shopping centre is almost entirely constructed of glass. The outfitting shop has a frontage of 15 feet while many of the walls give the effect of a gigantic sheet of glass, so ingeniously have the big panes been fitted together.

SELECTED RECIPES

PLAIN DOUGHNUTS

2½ tablespoons butter
1 cup sugar
3 eggs
3½ cups bread flour (about)
4 teaspoons Magic Baking Powder
½ teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon cinnamon
1 cup milk
Cream together butter and one half sugar. Beat remaining sugar with eggs until very light and combine mixtures. Sift together 3 cups bread flour, baking powder, salt and spices and add to first mixture alternately with the milk, add enough flour to roll out to ¼-inch thickness, cut and fry in hot fat 375 degrees F. to a light brown. They should come to the top quickly. Turn once only. Drain on brown paper and roll in sugar.

To Test Fat:—Put pan on fire and when smoke rises drop in a small piece of dough. If it rises quickly to the top, fat is ready.

No One Saw Eclipse

Last One For 1935 Visible Only At South Pole

Santa kept one Christmas treat for himself, the year's last eclipse of the sun.

It was visible in no inhabited part of the world and even Mr. Claus had to scan the sky from the ice fields of the South Pole.

For a few fleeting seconds, the Antarctic was shadowed by the weird half-light of a sun reduced to a thin blazing circle. The eclipse lasted but a minute and 23 seconds from the time the moon began blotting out the sun's light until Old Sol shone full again, Dr. Philip Fox, director of the Adler planetarium, Chicago, said.

It was the seventh eclipse of 1935—the maximum number possible in any years. It ended a series of heavenly phenomena which will not be seen again for 550 years.

Otherwise Peaceful

"I wanted to listen to Christmas carols on the radio," Anthony Seller, 61, of Chicago, explained to the judge. "I like em—peace on earth and that sort of thing. But my wife wanted to listen to dance music. So I hit her." He paid a \$100 fine.

Pallbearers at the funeral of the Earl of Morton in Argyllshire, Scotland, wore plus fours.

The average weight of a dozer eggs is 1½ pounds. 2132

Royal Bank Presents Strong Annual Statement

Deposits Up \$51,000,000—Marked Improvement Evident Last Year Continues

The Annual Statement of The Royal Bank of Canada reflects a very substantial growth during the year. Assets have crossed the eight hundred million dollar mark, being actually \$800,919,000. Deposits show an increase slightly greater than the rather remarkable increase shown in the previous year.

Assets have increased during the year by over \$42,000,000. That the growth of total assets is somewhat less than the increase in deposits is apparently accounted for by the fact that the special loan of \$9,000,000 under the Finance Act, current at November 30, 1934, has been repaid.

Strong Liquid Position

In these days of easy money, no great emphasis is placed by the banks on liquidity but actually immediately realizable assets are 58% of total liabilities to the public. Investments in Dominion and Provincial securities show an increase of \$61,716,525, which is in line with recent trends in banking, not only in Canada but in the United States and Great Britain as well. The banks have never been in as strong position as they are at present to meet commercial demands as these develop.

Deposits Largely Increased

Deposits registered a growth of \$51,000,000 and now stand at \$688,366,512. A decrease in interest-bearing deposits is noted. It is understood that this does not indicate a reduction in Savings deposits in Canada, which have actually increased sub-

stantially, but is accounted for by the discontinuance of the payment of interest on a large proportion of the bank's deposits outside of Canada. It is no doubt a reflection of greatly improved business throughout the country that the growth under this heading during the past two years has been no less than 17%.

Commercial Loans Up

Commercial loans show a moderate increase of \$2,038,882, which is encouraging when it is taken into consideration that general experience has not yet indicated that demand for new loans has more than offset liquidation of slow advances carried in the depression. Call Loans in Canada also increased by \$2,898,033 but Call Loans abroad are down \$10,690,196. As is well known, the yield on such loans in London and New York is about at the vanishing point.

Profit and Loss Account

Profits for the year amounting to \$4,340,522 show a slight decrease but were sufficient to provide for \$2,800,000 in dividends, \$200,000 for transfer to Bank Premises account, \$200,000 to be applied to the Officers' Pension Fund and \$1,037,772 for Dominion and Provincial Government taxes, leaving a surplus of \$102,700 to be added to Profit and Loss Account, which now stands at \$1,609,554.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Head Office of the bank in Montreal on Thursday, January 9th at 11 a.m., when the report for the year ended November 30th will be submitted.

Peasants Order Gas Masks

Arabs Near Jerusalem Not Taking Any Chances On War

Eighty Arab peasants from two villages outside Jerusalem have placed orders for British gas-masks with a local agent. Each mask will cost \$20.

The example was started by a peasant of Beit Safafa village near Jerusalem. He bought a mask and told the agent that, if war came, it might save the lives of his three wives and eight children. If Allah decreed there should be no war, the hideous mask could hang on his wall, he said, and so incite his neighbors to envy and admiration.

"How can you divide one mask among your family of eleven?" asked the merchant.

"By the will of Allah," the Arab replied, "it shall be divided so that all have a chance of wearing it."

Now 80 neighboring peasants also want gas-masks for wall plaques.

Youngest Man In Parliament

Alberta's Social Credit Member Is Only 29 Years Old

The "baby" member of the next Canadian parliament will be Rene Pelletier, 27-year-old station agent of Falher, Alta., on the Northern Alberta Railway, 200 miles northwest of Edmonton. A Social Credit candidate, he was elected member of the House of Commons for Peace River riding in the Oct. 14 election.

Born at Austin, Que., Sept. 2, 1908, Mr. Pelletier moved to Montreal with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Z. Pelletier, when he was still a boy. He attended primary school at Montreal until 1919, when the family moved to Calgary. At 16 he was a telegrapher for the N.A.R.

Cuba is buying 100 times as much American rice as a year ago.

Improvement In Trade

Expansion Of External Trade Shown For 1935

To Canada 1935 brought the following improvements over 1934:

Expansion of external trade in both exports and imports with a favorable balance of around \$150,000,000.

Production of motor cars and trucks increased about 30 per cent. Output of boot and shoe factories greater by 23 per cent.

Newspaper production the heaviest since 1923 and seven per cent. greater than in 1934.

General industrial production increased about 15 per cent.

Mining companies increased their output of metals by 18 per cent.

Export sales of copper expanded by about 30 per cent.

Steel plants increased production by about 40 per cent.

Number of people employed estimated at 100,000 more than in previous year.

Sales of cattle in Canadian stockyards 18.5 per cent. greater than in previous period.

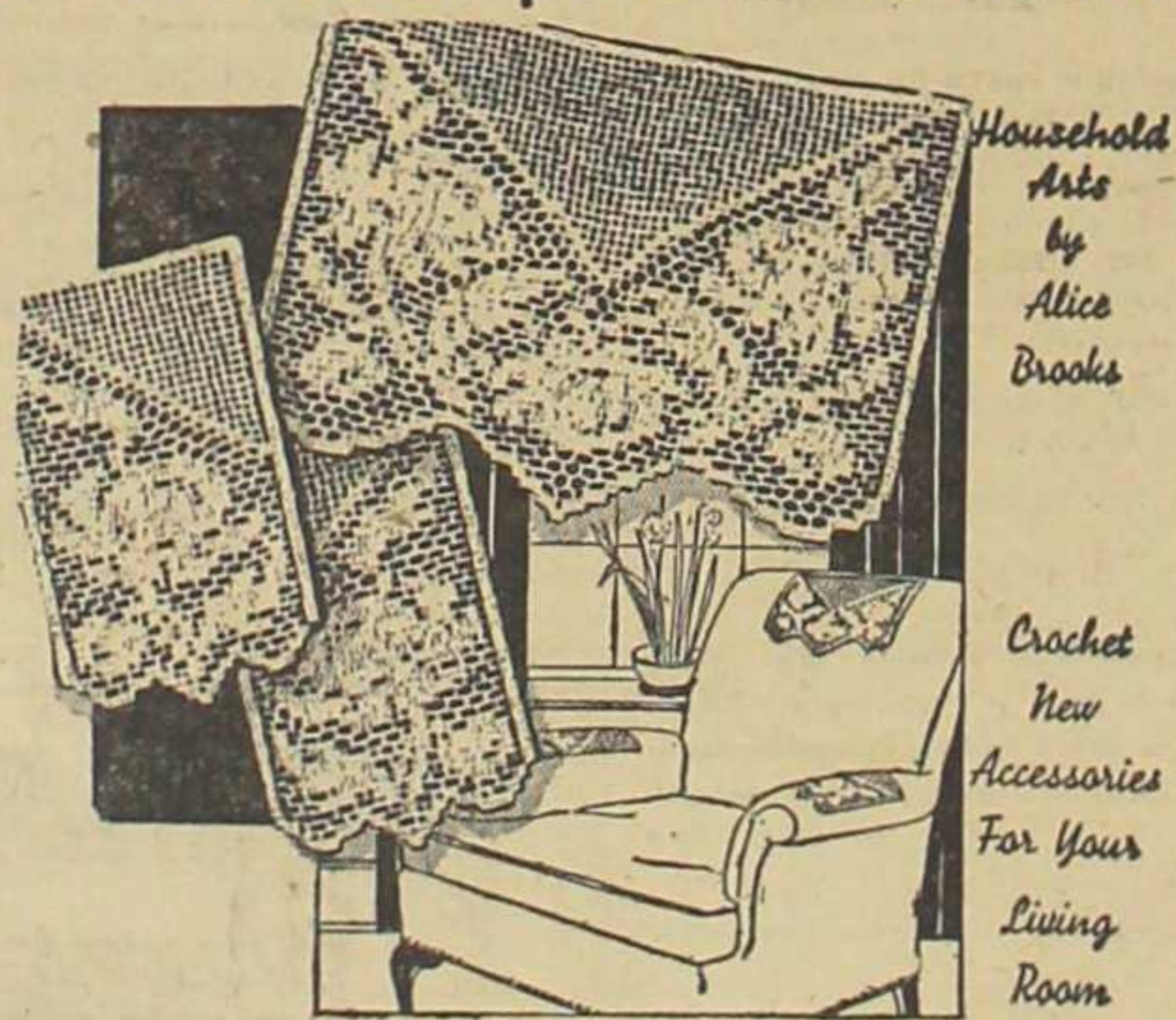
From Old Irish Term

Usquebaugh is a potent liquor made in Drogheda, Ireland. Literally translated the word means "mad water." By abbreviating the name of the drink to "usque," gradually it became whisky. In Molucca there is a beverage called "the tears of the widow of Malabar." Curacao, named for an island in the West Indies, is made from Seville (Spain) oranges.

Pray For Peace

Nearly 1,000 mothers gathered recently in the thirteenth century parish church in Alnwick, Scotland, and prayed for peace. They were led by the archdeacon of Lindisfarne. The occasion was the annual Mothers' Union festival, to which mothers came from miles around.

Filet Crochet for a Smart Touch



PATTERN 5252

The magic of filet crochet is yours to discover—easily and inexpensively, with crochet hook, a bit of string, and this lovely pattern. A handsome chair set such as this, is very easy to make, and will protect a favorite chair at points of greatest wear. See how effectively graceful chrysanthemums contrast with the lace stitch that surrounds them! The same dainty design will make a pair of scarf ends, or useful table mat.

In pattern 5252 you will find a chart and complete instructions for making the set; illustrations of the set and of all stitches used and material requirements.

To obtain this pattern send 20 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred) to Household Arts Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg.

There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published

War Graves

International Joint Committee To Deal With Administration

Agreement to set up an international joint committee to deal with administrative questions relating to war graves was signed in Berlin on behalf of Canada by Sir Eric Phipps, British ambassador to Germany. Announcement of the agreement was made simultaneously in the United Kingdom, Germany, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, India, Newfoundland and France.

At a conference held last October in Berlin, attended by British, French and German representatives, it was unanimously decided to recommend establishment of a joint committee of the governments of the above-named countries. Duties of the commission would be to attend to the care of German war graves in British cemeteries in France, and of British war graves in Germany.

An agreement for this purpose, suggested at the conference, has now been completed, approved by all countries concerned, and the committee will be appointed at once.

Constitution of the new committee will be similar to that of the Anglo-French and other committees which have given the Imperial War Graves commission great co-operation and assistance in their work since the war.

Work Of Boy Scouts

Scouts And Girl Guides All Over Canada Distribute Toys

Repeating their Santa Claus job of previous years, the Boy Scouts and Girl Guides of Canada operated a chain of Christmas toy and doll-making and repair shops that stretched from Sydney, N.S., to Prince Rupert, B.C., and provided gifts for close to 100,000 children.

While the main distribution in the east was among children in urban centres, gifts also were sent to fishermen's families along the Nova Scotia coast, the children of miners in the coalfields, east and west, and of some thousand homesteaders on the prairies.

The Scout-Guide toy shops of Saskatchewan had an especially heavy demand to meet, and to assist them the Scouts and Guides of London, Ont., Ottawa and Montreal shipped several thousand toys, books and dolls in bulk quantities.

Large distributions locally and among homesteaders were made by Winnipeg, Calgary and Edmonton shops.

Does Not Enjoy Luxury

Rich Irish Terrier Would Rather Be Just A Dog

Chicago's poor rich dog Red, a sad-eyed Irish setter, is back in the home that a \$27,500 legacy provides for him. But Red, after three days of wandering, appeared unhappy.

Red found things to his liking in a drug store not far from his home. The smell of cosmetics and drugs and the bustle of customers pleased the dog.

Louis Weprin, manager of the store, liked Red and took him home. But he found out later that the dog was the missing heir. In spite of the fact that Red's guardian, Miss Marie Hunter, was willing to let Weprin keep the dog, the Probate Court ruled that he must return to the Hunter home.

So the setter is again sulking in his kennel, wishing, perhaps, that his benefactor had given that \$27,000 to some other dog.

Veteran Gets Hero Medal

One-Armed Soldier Adds Decoration To His Collection

To his collection of decorations for service, Thomas Addicott of Glace Bay, Nova Scotia, one-armed war veteran, can now add another for he has been awarded the bronze medal of the Royal Canadian Humane Society for the saving of life.

The citation refers to August 26 last, when Addicott, standing on a cliff at the New Aberdeen shore, saw Annie Mae O'Brien carried out to sea, where she sank. He immediately struck out from shore and brought her in from a distance of 30 feet and applied artificial respiration.

Protect Children

Children below the age of six may not attend motion picture theatres in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, and children between six and 14 see only those pictures deemed "proper" by the censorship board.

"When are Joan and Edward to be married?"

"Never, I'm afraid."

"Well, how's that?"

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Canada's National Game

Hockey Is Now Spreading To Countries All Around The World

Hockey, Canada's chief contribution to the world of sport, is taking hold in sporting circles of countries all around the globe. In former years hockey was confined to areas where Jack Frost was depended upon to provide ice, but with the advance made in refrigeration engineering in recent years hockey is rapidly extending its boundaries irrespective of climate. It is already well established in England and on the Continent and last year made an appearance in China and Japan. Plans are now under way to build an artificial ice rink in Johannesburg, South Africa, in connection with the Empire Exhibition to be held in that city from September 15, 1936, to January 15, 1937. While the rink is only planned for the duration of the exhibition, hockey enthusiasts are considering taking it over and organizing teams from among the fairly large Canadian colony around Johannesburg. While Canadian players compose a large part of the rosters of teams in England and Europe, the distance between Canada and South Africa makes the migration of players a practical impossibility.

Hockey is played in all of Canada and in the past decade or so has become very popular in the United States. Spectators as well as players thrill to this speediest of games which attracts immense crowds to witness both professional and amateur contests, and through the medium of radio play-by-play descriptions of the principal matches are carried into millions of homes during the hockey season.

Auction Held Every Year

Proceeds Of Wine Sale Go To French Hospital

Wine from grapes of an orchard provided by Philip the Good in the 15th century was sold at auction in Beaune, France, amid splendor and festivities changed little since medieval times. Wine-buyers who mingled with singing and dancing townsfolk clad in old Burgundian costumes spent about \$39,000 for the wine sold by the Hospital of Beaune.

Philip the Good, then Duke of Burgundy, endowed the hospital with the vineyard that its earnings might provide care for patients unable to pay.

The auction is held annually in the dimly-lit hall of the hospital, the bidding continuing only during the burning of a candle. Many of the finest burgundies in the world are marketed at the famous auction.

Kept Outside City Limits

King Avoided Ceremony By Not Going Through London

The London press missed a good story recently, when the King attended the state opening of Parliament . . . and then left for his Sandringham country estate. The King left Buckingham Palace and went to Charing Cross Station—instead of Liverpool Station, the usual entraining spot. He did so to avoid passing through the city of London boundaries. In this way he avoided the traditional ceremony wherein the Lord Mayor meets the ruler at the city boundary and gives him formal permission to enter. The King may not enter London without permission first granted from the Mayor of that city.

Woman Was Good Shot

Algoma wolves are keeping clear of Mrs. J. W. McCoy's back door. Mrs. McCoy went to Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., to collect the \$15 bounty on a large wolf she laid low with a bullet from a .22 rifle.

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— BY —
LAWRENCE A. KEATING

CHAPTER IV.—Continued

Fleming's face was illumined momentarily as he lighted his cigarette. "I guess you're askin' for plain truth. Stephen may send Buzz away for awhile if he can. He's set against shootin', especially in town. Sort of anxious to make an example of everyone that does it. Ames is a mighty good law officer and he figures to keep trouble down by actin' kind of harsh. I'll sure do something about it if I can, but Ames goes his own way. Nobody can talk him out of anything." He was thinking that not even Kilgo could swerve the stern law officer.

The girl nodded, her slender fingers held worriedly to her lips. "Perhaps," she murmured softly, "it will do Buzz good. Oh, I know how he is—he's weak. Buzz is easily led, and I just have a feeling he has come under the influence of someone the last two years, someone very strong-minded. It seems a terrible thing to say, and I don't want my brother put in prison." A shudder escaped her lips. "But—well, perhaps punishment, a small amount of it, will make a new man of Buzz."

"That's what might happen, and I sure wish it would. I'll do anything I can for you while he's gone, Helen. I mean like helpin' with the Triple H."

"Thank you." Then thoughtfully: "I shall be in charge of the ranch, shan't I? I suppose I can do anything necessary to improve it or keep it up."

About to mount his horse, Fleming paused. He squinted inquiringly at the lissome girl standing a few feet away, her face partly visible, partly in shadow. "What do you mean?"

"Why, Buzz and I own nine hundred acres out in the draw, don't we? Useless, barren land. Right next your seventeen hundred acres. How much do you suppose it would cost to dig irrigation ditches all through it, and build a small dam backing up Silver Creek into a sort of lake?"

With a low exclamation he dropped his reins and stepped nearer, to peer startledly down at her. "Do you mean you'd go against the advice of the only man who really knows irrigation around here—Torrey? And the advice of your own brother? And you—well, Kilgo?"

Helen tossed her head. "I don't

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know. How much do you think it would cost?"

"Offhand I'd say fifteen thousand dollars."

The girl placed a hand at her bosom. "I have the first thousand right here, Link. If the others don't want to come in, we could form a partnership, couldn't we? Now don't you think you'd better go home?"

As he rode up to the corral on his own ranch, Fleming still was immersed in thought of the plucky girl's offer. But he frowned as he reflected that she could not realize the weight of public sentiment against them. Busybodies, ever eager to wag their tongues in speculation, would hint that the Star Loop owner had "talked Helen into it."

Dismounting, he unsaddled his buckskin and turned the animal into the corral. With saddle and bridle in his arms he started toward the ranch house. Yes, everyone would be dead set against it. There would be gossip aplenty that Link had persuaded Helen against her will, free prediction of bankruptcy and ruin.

He stopped suddenly. The saddle fell from his grasp and his hand sought the holstered sixgun at his side.

"Don't get tough, Link—it's me, Roper." A short, thick figure detached itself from the shadow of the low stoop and Kilgo stepped into a pool of faint moonlight, grinning. "Just wanted a little talk with yuh," he went on easily. "Didn't mean to scare yuh, Link."

"I see." Surprise at the unexpectedness of the visit was masked in his next words. "Why sure, Roper, let's get inside and have a light."

He picked up his saddle again and carried it to the stoop. Leading the way into his four-room clapboard ranch house, he lighted an oil lamp on a centre table of the living room. "Make yourself at home," he invited his guest.

Kilgo appeared to have something on his mind. He stood fingering his cartridge belt while he shifted weight. "Say, Link, this here is kind of a hard time to talk about. Fact is," he blurted out, "I planned on ridin' home with Helen Hamilton when she came. I mean, it kind of took the wind outa my sails when you went gallivantin' off with her."

"Yuh see, Helen and I—Before you bought the Star Loop, I'd known her quite a spell. Always got along together good and all that. Some folks around the county'd tell yuh we're as good as engaged."

"That so? I didn't get quite that impression."

He flashed a quick look. "Course I know you wasn't wise to it. It makes me plumb sore to have interference, Link—like it does any man, I reckon. I'm known for a guy that don't allow interference. 'Specially with steers and girls. Yes, we're just about engaged, all right," he repeated significantly.

There was a short pause. "She's mighty nice. Pretty, too. Noticed that myself, first look I had of her."

Kilgo's eyes were evasive. "What I'm gettin' at is, I don't care to have you mix in my personal affairs, Fleming."

There was a truculent edge to his tone that the rancher did not miss. He tossed his hat on the table and rested a thigh over its corner. Swinging his leg idly, he examined Roper with keen, understanding eyes. It was a plain warning, a command that he had just issued, and it rubbed Fleming the wrong way.

"Seems almost like this engagement business is one-sided," he drawled. "However, I haven't any intention arguin' the matrimony question. By the way, Helen and I may go into partnership."

He started. "What do yuh mean?"

"Why, when folks go into business together, that's called a partnership. That seventeen hundred acres you let me win in a crooked poker game some time back needs water. It's going to be worth a hundred, maybe two hundred an acre some day for alfalfa. Helen'll be in charge of the Triple H now, and she has more advanced ideas than Buzz. We're thinkin' of pooling our resources to put on an irrigation project of our own, seeing you and the others don't believe in good old-fashioned water."

The effect of this announcement was startling. Kilgo's jaw went slack and his eyes rounded in wonder. A low growl seemed to start in his barrel-like chest, finally to burst from his lips with rage.

"Damn you!" he roared. "Yuh'll never do it!" Suddenly lifting one pudgy hand, he snatched off his sand-colored sombrero.

The sharp crack of a rifle was followed instantly by tinkling glass. Some impulse forever unexplained had made Fleming jerk from his seat on the table edge as Roper grabbed his hat. Perhaps he thought the visitor mean to whip out his six-gun—Link could not tell afterward. But the next moment the mass of brown hair on his head flicked sharply. The bullet's speed sent a light breeze

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along his temple and instinctively he ducked. With a low thud the slug buried itself in the far wall.

"Don't move!"

Brittle with stern tenseness, Fleming stared down the barrel of his forty-five. "Don't make another signal, understand? Get over there—against that window. If anybody's going to get shot by your skunk assassin, it isn't going to be me!"

He was safe from windows, himself. "What the devil yuh talkin' about? Yuh mean to say—"

"Grabbin' your hat was a signal. Some gent outside was waitin' for it. He tried to murder me. That's what I'm talking about, Roper!"

The Box 50 owner's round, red face dulled. If it had not been that Link was covering him, watching his every move with hawk-like vigilance, he would have drawn and slain his host with vengeful speed. But there was no opening, no chance to accomplish it, and after an uncertain twitching of his thick shoulders the man gulped and forced resentment from his face.

"I—uh—goldarn it, Link, you're all wrong! Say, I wouldn't fix up to murder anybody, man! What the devil—" He waved his hands as if unable to express himself in words. "Come on, let's go after the guy. I'll prove to yuh I didn't—"

The door burst open and Waco Byrne, one of the Star Loop hands, stepped in gripping a sixgun in each brawny fist. "Heard shootin', Boss, and glass. What happened?"

"Someone tried to get me, but he missed. Waco, you take two or three of the boys and go after him. He shot from the south; reckon he must have hid behind the tool shed. That gent can't be far off yet. Grab him!"

The door slammed as the puncher hurried to comply. Fleming watched his visitor with sharp suspicion. Finally, concluding it was safe to do so, he holstered his gun. "Thanks for your offer to hunt that dry gulcher, Kilgo, but I guess my men can do the job all right. You in a hurry to go?"

As if mustering his courage, Roper shuffled forward. "Aw, that's a helluva way, suspectin' a guy!" he protested. "If I wanted you dead why wouldn't I have done it myself?"

"Because I'm not so slow drawing, for one thing. And one of my men may have seen you come here, so it would be a bit hard to explain."

(To Be Continued)

Infantile Paralysis

Rockefeller Institute Reports Method To Deal With Scourge

Discovery at the Rockefeller Institute of a nose which protects monkeys from infantile paralysis and is now ready "for trial in man" was reported to the Society of American Bacteriologists at its opening session in New York.

A second, entirely different sort of infantile paralysis preventive found in vitamin C, the vitamin from oranges, lemons, tomatoes, spinach, cabbage and lettuce was reported from Columbia University. The vitamin at Columbia prevented infantile paralysis in monkeys, but under circumstances so peculiar that the vitamin is not yet ready for trial for children.

Length Of A Day

Two German physicists claimed three years of observations with a special clock has shown a day was 4:1,000 second less than 24 hours because of the varying speed of the earth's rotations.

Wooden horses are used for practice purpose by polo enthusiasts.

Most public schools in Sweden are equipped with bathtubs. 2132

An Old Document

Believed To Have Been Written By
Robert Bruce In 1272

The last 600 years have seen many momentous events in the history of the world and the average person today would feel a sense of awe were he to receive a letter that he knew had been written by a man who lived in the 13th century; yet the believed written words of Robert Bruce pre-tender to the throne of Scotland in 1286, are to be seen on a sheet of paper pasted to the back of a shingle bearing an armorial ensign, owned by Alexander D. Fullarton of Williamsburg, New Brunswick.

The ensign, which is the armorial insignia of the clan of Fullarton, and was presented, so far as can be made out from the faded writing, for services rendered by the clan in battle, was presented in the year 1272 A.D. by Robert Bruce, at that time recognized in Scotland as king. The arms of the clan are on the front of the shingle to which they were apparently stuck when presented, and are still very clear.

The written account which accompanied them is attached to the back of the shingle and is much faded, it being hard for a reader to-day to follow the trend. Much of the latter part of the message is nearly lost. It is obvious, however, from that which is legible, that the king is praising one "reginald fullarton" (the words are not capitalized, following the custom of the time) for his deeds in battle, though it is not very clear whether the fighting was done in a war or in one of the clan feuds, which were frequent at that time. The date 1272 is clear, and the writing, supposed to be that of the famed Bruce, although easy to read originally, would be said not much better than a "schoolboy hand" to-day.

A cup of silver, lined with gold, was also presented at the time of the presentation of the shingle. It is also in the possession of Mr. Fullarton. It is about four inches high and perfectly plain save for the arms of the family, which are engraved on front.

National Scholarships

Federal Government To Be Asked To Endorse The Plan

A measure to introduce national scholarships for brilliant students who would otherwise be unable to attend university because of lack of funds will be introduced in the House of Commons at the next session, A. E. Corrigan of Ottawa told the Ontario Secondary School Teachers' Federation.

Mr. Corrigan asked for the support of the federation, explaining that more than 80 per cent. of Canadian leaders are produced from less than the one per cent. of scholars who attend university. Of the 99 per cent. who leave school at matriculation, there must be many more brilliant ones than those who continue, he said.

Mr. Corrigan said there was little doubt but that the measure would receive the endorsement of parliament. He was assured by the managements of many large financial businesses, he said, that employment would readily be offered all national scholars.

"It is a matter of extreme urgency for the national well-being that we mobilize the brains of the country and turn its resources into wealth," Mr. Corrigan asserted.

He proposed that 1,000 national scholarships, valued at \$400 annually with free tuition, be awarded by the Dominion government. National scholars would be chosen because of mental and intellectual gifts and character and temperament. Mr. Corrigan said he hoped to obtain the support of 25 universities in the scheme.

Chemist have found that surfaces of all solid bodies are covered with a film of water or oil, often only one molecule thick.

Everyone Will Take Chance

Dieticians Say Only Heavy Worker Should Eat Plum Pudding

The glorious, steaming plum pudding, tail-end of every traditional Christmas dinner, stands convicted as nutritiously incorrect and far too heavy for anyone whose task is lighter than ditch-digging in this work-a-day world.

The judges were Mrs. E. B. Rutter, professor of Household Science at the University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, for many years, and Dr. J. S. Brown, specialist in children's ailments.

It was Dr. Brown who made the reference to ditch-digging. After condemning plum pudding as "really a terrible pudding," a plateful of which was a meal in itself, the specialist admitted the meal should depend upon the size of the eater.

"For a laboring man, digging ditches, there would be no harm in a meal of turkey, plum pudding, nuts and candy. The man who can afford these things is the man who should not eat them, and those who cannot afford them are those who should," he said.

Professor Rutter declared the plum pudding far too heavy a dish to follow the turkey. When nuts, raisins and candy were added, as usually, the meal became "really terrible" from a scientific nutritional point of view.

"Of course one cannot apply the dictates of nutrition to a traditional menu," Mrs. Rutter admitted. "Perhaps it is all right once a year, but it would be far better to follow the roast turkey with a light frozen dessert and have the pudding the next day with a little cold turkey."

"Of course there are plum puddings and plum puddings," Mrs. Rutter went on. The tendency now is to replace some of the suet by grated raw carrots and potatoes. The pudding need not be so highly spiced. Such puddings are far better for children."

Animals Going Modern

Hawks Defend On Motorists To Kill Gophers For Them

Hawks are not bothering to kill gophers any more. The automobile is doing it for them, Dan McCowan, famed naturalist, said.

Years ago they used to float lazily over the prairies, waiting to pounce on an unwary gopher. Now they perch on roadside telephone poles, waiting for speeding automobiles to play the part of executioner.

It was just an example, Dan said, of how animals are going modern. Similarly, he said, magpies and crows are to be found on fence posts, waiting also, for the automobiles that daily slaughter several hundred gophers on the Banff-Calgary highway.

Dan couldn't say why gophers never learned. They continued to play around the highways and apparently unable to estimate the speed of an automobile, were slaughtered in hundreds.

Similar evidence was to be found along the railways, he said. There mice found kernels of grain dropped by lurching grain trains. Other animals followed them among them the squirrel.

The squirrel found, however, there were no trees nearby that offered protection from hawks. However, they soon overcame that. They confined their foraging to the vicinity of telephone poles. When a hawk appeared the squirrel scampered up the pole. A score of wires prevented the hawk from reaching him.

A little boy, after his first day at school, was questioned as to what happened the first day.

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Little Helps For This Week

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My sins lie heavily;
My pardon speak, new peace impart,
In love remember me.

We need to know that our sins are forgiven, and the only way we can know this is to feel that we have the peace of God, that we are so able to trust in the divine compassion and infinite tenderness of our Father we are able to go to Him whenever we commit sin and say at once to Him "Father I have sinned, forgive me." To know we are forgiven it is only necessary to look at our Father's love until it sinks into our heart, to open our soul to Him till He shall pour His love into it, to wait on Him until we find peace, till the weight of responsibility ceases to be an oppressive burden to us, till we can feel that our sins, great as they are, cannot keep us away from our Heavenly Father.

Four Eclipses

Two Of The Sun And Two Of The Moon In 1936

Four eclipses, two of the sun and two of the moon, are due in 1936, but only one of them will be visible in Canada, that only in the northwestern section of the Dominion.

Early in January there was a total eclipse of the moon, the beginning of it was visible in northwestern Canada. On June 18 there will be a total eclipse of the sun; July 4 a partial eclipse of the moon; Dec. 13 an eclipse of the sun, none of the three being visible to Canadians.

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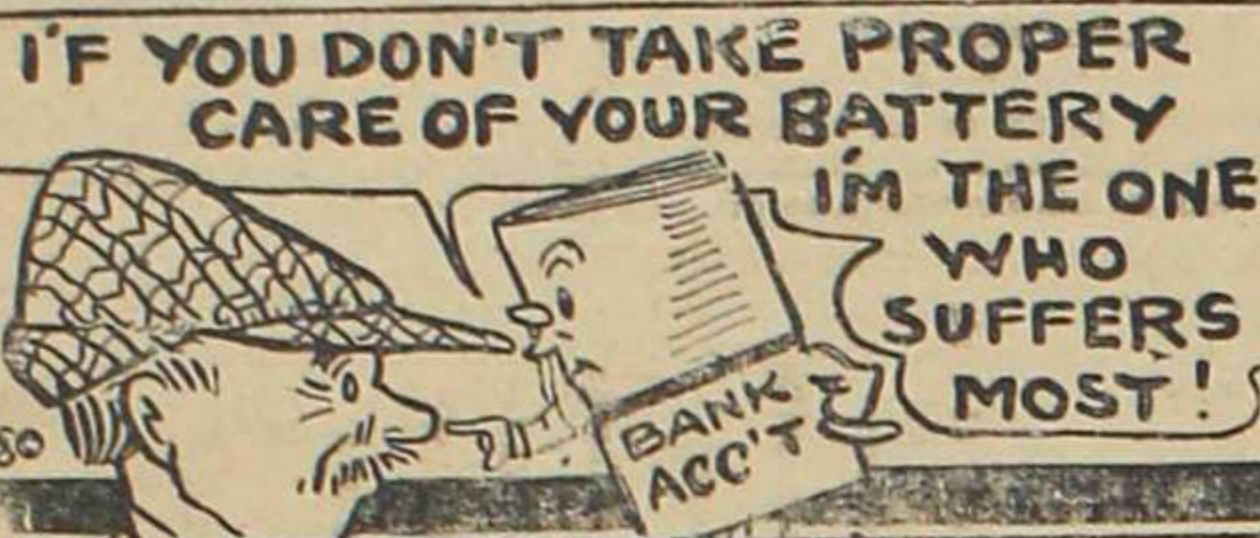
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Phoebe Campbell, 60 Years a Resident Here, Dies

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Campbell passed away in Mission on
Saturday at the age of 85 years.Arriving in Nanaimo 84 years ago
from England, coming via Cape Horn
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos.
York, Mrs. Campbell saw much of
pioneer life in B.C. and Washington.
The family moved to Whatcom (now
Bellingham), and established what is
now known as the "York Addition"
of the city. Sixty-five years ago Mrs.
Campbell married William M. Camp-
bell a native of the north of Ireland,
and with him took up residence on
McGregor Ridge, near Evan-Thomas,
in which home her children were born.
Later she moved to the Sumas moun-
tain side of the prairie, making her
home on their farm near Kilgord.
Fraser York of Huntingdon, first
white person born in B.C. (at Yale)
is a brother.Mrs. Campbell is survived by three
daughters, Mrs. Fanny Bell, wife of

Chas. O'Donel Bell, Matsqui, Mrs. S.

Riggs, Portland, Ore., and Miss Mar-
garet Campbell of Vancouver. Also
by one son, Thos. Campbell, who is
farming on Matsqui Prairie. Her
husband pre-deceased her 45 years
ago.After leaving his work as a coal-
miner at Nanaimo, Mrs. Campbell's
father responded to the Cariboo gold-
rush excitement, and opened the old
Yale hotel. The family's interest in
the hotel-business revived years later
when Mrs. Campbell owned the for-
mer Abbotsford hotel, which was sold
to Chas. Haddrell.The funeral was held today from
St. Matthew's Anglican church, Rev.
C. W. Kirksey of Mission officiating.
Interment was made in Musselwhite
cemetery, Sumas, pallbearers being
Fred Woods, R. DesMazes, C. Hud-
drell, and deceased's grandsons, Mr.
Bell's three sons.Valley Libraries Have
A Large "Turnover"

A Few Statistics For 1935

Apart from the use made of the
books and periodicals for reference
and recreational reading in the
branches themselves, considerably over
222,000 volumes were circulated in
1935 for home use: 165,000 through
branches and deposit stations, 41,000
from the book-van, 16,000 through
school deposit stations.This represents reading interest
which, without the use of a library,
would have cost readers well over
\$400,000; or, had the 15,965 readers
been able to make continuous use of
a commercial lending-library, the
cost would have approximated \$96,-
000. This public library service was
provided for residents throughout the
lower Fraser Valley, in cities, villages
and the extensive areas of "back
country" at a total cost of \$14,972.44.Books added during the year
amounted to 2,392 volumes, bringing
the total book stock up to 26153, of
which 18,193 are adult books and 6,-
860 children's. Nearly half the to-
tal, 12,404 to be exact, are education-
al or non-fiction books, covering
practically every subject on which in-
formation could be desired by read-
ers. In agriculture, for example, the
library lists 400 different titles, made
readily available to the farmer by
the use of catalogs supplied to every
branch, in which these books are
classified under 40 different subject
headings, such as soils, butter, stock-
judging, fertilizers, bees, etc.During the year 9,445 special re-
quests were handled through library
headquarters. Of these, 8,405 were
filled and of the balance most were
requests for fiction not in the li-
brary, or for titles, fiction and non-
fiction, which were subsequently sup-
plied through later purchase. Of re-
quests filled, 3,750 were for adult fi-
ction, 4,189 for adult non-fiction, 475
for juvenile books.
Abbotsford, B.C. C.K.M.THE UNEMPLOYMENT
PROBLEM"What is meant by the unem-
ployment problem? It is to find jobs
for people who have not now got them.
Is the solution entirely in our own
hands? No; we are influenced by the
actions of other nations. Our own
best efforts cannot find jobs for all of
the workless without a greater mea-
sure of world property.Can we greatly reduce the number
of unemployed regardless of world
development? Indeed, yes. There
are many constructive policies of an
internal nature that would lead to
more rapid re-employment.What, for example? We could
make it possible for a larger number
of Canadians such as farmers to buy
the goods and services that the un-
employed would like to produce if
they had a chance.But are not the farmers now get-
ting higher prices? Yes, and it has
helped them materially. But they are
still on the light end of the price scale.
If industrial wages are increased as
rapidly as farm prices go up, or more
rapidly, there will continue to be ser-
ious disequilibrium. Farmers will
still suffer from impaired purchasing
power, with the result that they will
not be able to buy the labor of work-
ers.Are the industrial codes in Ontario
and Quebec attempting to raise the
wages? That was not the original
intention but that is the way they are
working out.That ought to be a good thing; is it
not putting more money in the pockets
of a few workers in very sheltered
trades but the total of wages is not in-
creasing because the disequilibrium in
prices and wages that already exist is
simply intensified.Then codes to raise wages horizon-
tally are not a means to re-employment
and prosperity? Not while farm
buying power remains so restricted."
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INSTITUTIONNo private enterprise has a greater
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Unemployment statistics are being compiled in Valley municipalities by the provincial department of labor. A. H. Horn is doing this work for the government in Matsqui, and Ernest H. Woods, former Matsqui municipal clerk, is the government representative for this work in Langley.

Abbotsford Men's Club "B" team in the cribbage league were defeated by the ladies of the Royal Purple on Monday evening. The young men have yet to win a game this season.

Mrs. W. J. Ware is bereaved by the loss of her brother, John Crane, who passed away at his home in Peterborough, Ontario on December 28, at the age of 68 years. The late Mr. Crane, who was one of Peterborough's most prominent citizens, was a retired banker, and the journals of his activities. The funeral was attended by hundreds of mourners. Also surviving is a brother in London, England.

B. Clark received attention at the M.-S.-A. hospital on Saturday evening after the car he was driving left the highway near the Delair milk condensary. The other occupants of the car escaped with cuts and bruises. The car was badly smashed.

Service at St. Matthew's Anglican church on Sunday was conducted by Rev. Mr. H. Barrett of Vancouver.

Utilization of basement space in the Royal Bank branch here is being arranged by changes in the building interior and extension of one wall. J. A. McDonald is doing the work.

A large audience attended Dr. Jackson's talk on "How to be Always Well and Always Young" in the Masonic hall on Saturday. The 77-year-old lecturer appeared remarkably fit and as a proof of his agility indulged in some demonstrative calisthenics.

Born.—To Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Lewis of Abbotsford, in the local hospital, January 25, a son.

Mr. Lewis, who occupies the house adjoining the Legion hall, has conducted a painting and decorating business in this district for two or three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery have moved to Vancouver. Mr. Avery formerly worked at the Pacific milk condensary, but now has employment up the Coast.

A service of mourning was held at St. Anne's Catholic church on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. B. L. O'Connor of Seattle and Mrs. Teeple and Mrs. T. L. Wilkinson of White Rock spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Brown.

Mr. E. A. Hunt has received a recommendation and prize from the Wrigley company for his excellent displaying of their products.

Break-down on the 12,000-volt B.C. E.R. power line caused power shut-down in the district this (Wednesday) morning for three hours. The News is late due to this and yesterday's closure.

H. McNeill, F. Berry and A. Morrow last week completed digging the tunnel under Essendene avenue for the public works department, and a crew of men under W. Knox has been assembling and installing the 24-inch wood culvert.

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Marked by one of the largest polls in recent years, the election in ward one, Sumas municipality gave a decisive victory to Councillor Ferdinand Matthews. The count was:

F. Matthews—94.
Sidney Clark—36.

According to the returning officer's estimate, 84 per cent. of the rate-payers voted, or a total of 130 votes of 200 upon the list (of which 50 are "absentee").

SUMAS DISTRICT

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reimer have moved from the farm at Whatcom and are now in Vancouver.

Mr. C. McFeely visited his game farm at Yarrow on Sunday accompanied by his nephew, R. Cromie Jr., of Vancouver.

Native Sons and Canadian Daughters want you to keep this date open: March 20, dance in Whatcom rd. hall

Anglers from all parts of the Lower Mainland thronged the Vedder banks on Sunday to enjoy the combination of summery weather and prospects of hooking a steelhead. Someone with a yen for counting noses gave the total at 104 rods in a four-mile stretch of the river on Sunday afternoon, with a score or so pocketed at the Crossing. The aggregate catch of this Waltonite army was five steelhead, according to the warden's report. "They're simply not in the river any more" was the alibi. "River fished out, or something—"

Reports from across the border state that steelhead fishing is very good just now, particularly in the Nooksack. The three-month season, which closes on February 29, was very poor at first, but has improved of late.

MRS. ADOLPHE EWART

The death occurred on Friday, of Mrs. Adolphe Ewart, who passed away at her home on the Dennison road, Mt. Lehman, at the age of 71 years.

Deceased was born in Germany, and came to this district from Viscount, Sask., about four years ago. Surviving are her husband, five sons, John, of Vancouver, Henry, Fred, Charles and Ernest at home, and two daughters, Mrs. Jack Patterson, Saskatoon and Mrs. L. Martin, Bertha, Minn.

The funeral was held on Saturday to Aberdeen cemetery.

Dates Set for Fall Fairs

At a meeting held recently in Abbotsford, representatives of fair associations from Chilliwack, Central Fraser Valley, Mission, Matsqui and Langley discussed dates for 1936 fall fair events. The Central Fraser Valley Fair will be held in Abbotsford on Thursday and Friday, September 10 and 11, and Matsqui's fair will be held on Friday, September 18th.

The question of regional exhibits for the district fair at Chilliwack was discussed, but it was not decided whether the local associations would send exhibits or not.

New "Mixing" Shed Being Built

Crews of the public works department have started re-construction of a "mixing" shed for mulch-surfacing repairs of the main highway. Fire recently demolished the bunker and shed formerly used on Gladwin road.

TENDERS

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Disease and Death

Technocrats, engineers and scientists have said more than once recently that research work in the laboratories and workshops of the world have brought such a rich harvest in discoveries that the fruits of their work have far outrun man's ability to turn them to immediate use in enrichment of everyday life. This, it is said, is largely due to the lack of sufficient purchasing power.

This general premise is undoubtedly correct. Discoveries in the scientific realm during the past decade have been overwhelming in number, scope and future potentiality, and not the least interesting and important is the last-mentioned. For, experience shows that every new discovery opens up wide vistas for future research, paving the way for further discoveries and yielding visions of more and greater uses which the earlier experiments can be made to yield for the comfort and welfare of humanity. There is, at any rate at present, no cul de sac in the scientific field.

Not only is there no apparent terminal, but the more the scientist and research worker reveals, the more is he assured that he knows very little, that so far the surface has been barely scratched, and that the realms yet to uncover and conquer are almost illimitable. The finite knowledge of the present points far into the infinite with inexhaustible treasures yet to find.

While this is true in all fields of scientific discovery, in no sphere is it more true than in the realm of medical science. Medical science and surgical skill have made tremendous and important advances in the past few years, but while much has been learned, while many new and valuable methods of preventing, curbing and eradicating disease have been discovered and pressed into service for the alleviation of suffering and prolongation of life, just about enough has been achieved to demonstrate that much more will be learned and much greater results will be accomplished in the next few years, provided the work that is now being prosecuted with vigor and enthusiasm is not subjected to some unforeseen setback.

Until quite recently scientists in the medical and surgical fields have been chiefly concerned with perfection of technique in applying known methods for control and eradication of disease, with preventive and safeguarding devices and practices, with the search for cures for the most prevalent killers, such as heart disease and cancer and with the development of palliatives for pain.

In all these fields remarkable work has been done as is easily demonstrable in the case of tuberculosis. The progress that has been made in dealing with this and other diseases, in the prevention of loss of life in maternity and in the protection of children in the first few months of life, even since the Great War, has resulted in increasing the span of life expectancy, though, to date, this is principally due to the savings that have been made in infant mortality.

However, it appears that we may be upon the threshold of further discoveries that will benefit mankind in the later years of life's span. A vigorous drive is being made by science against those diseases which are taking heavy toll in middle life and old age, and more especially is the hunt for an antidote to that great and painful scourge, cancer, in full cry.

While still in the experimental stages, "ensol" has brought hope that a specific cure for cancer has been uncovered. It has been demonstrated that at least this new remedy has robbed the disease of some of its attendant pain and there are hopes that it may turn out to be the long-sought cure. It should be pointed out, however, lest disappointment ensue, that the efficacy of ensol as a definite cure remains to be proven.

Experimentation with ensol, so far, is confined to a two year period and eminent practitioners declare that another three years must elapse before its success or failure can be pronounced.

While the object of all this work is to prolong the span of human life, medical science is not satisfied with such great achievements as research has already yielded, but is looking farther ahead, even to the extent of endeavoring to lift the veil which shrouds the mysteries of life and death.

Experiments along this line have yielded extraordinary results. Dr. Alexis Carrel of the Rockefeller Institute, for example, has kept a chicken's heart alive, apart from the body, for 24 years and this scientist recently predicted the possibility of suspending human life and starting it again several centuries later. Such experiments open up a vista of fascinating possibilities, but this same authority, while confident of great advances in the future expresses his firm conviction that "there is no hope of ever conquering senescence and death," though admitting the possibility of suppressing disease entirely in the future.

In other words man may conquer disease, but he will not be given dominion over natural decay and eventual death, in the opinion of this noted savant.

Victim Of Science

Inoculation Slip Causes Death Of Assistant In Laboratory

Medical science claimed the life of Anna Pabst, young laboratory assistant at the National Institute of Health, who contracted meningitis in line of duty.

Miss Pabst, an experienced technician and co-author of several scientific articles, was inoculating an animal with meningitis culture on December 17, when the animal moved and some of the culture squirted into her eye.

All praise to the hen. She was the first to provide a sanitary covering for her product.

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New Zealand High Commissioner Was Once London Constable

The life story of the new high commissioner for New Zealand in England reads like one of those early tales of men who went out to the colonies and made good. It is a story with a Henty touch.

William C. Jordan is going back in some triumph to London, the city of his humble birth, a city whose streets he once walked—in blue. Mr. Jordan has been alternately coachman, postal clerk and police constable. In 1904 he migrated to New Zealand and tried farming, then business. In 1912 he became M.P. for Manakau, and was president of the New Zealand Labor Party for 10 years.

Mr. Jordan's story is as good an argument for democracy as we have run across for some time.—Hamilton Herald.

Makes No Difference

Another couple has been married in an airplane. The consensus of opinion among our bachelor friends is that the groom comes down to earth just as quickly as though the ceremony took place on the ground.

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Trans-Atlantic Air Service

1936 To Inaugurate Biggest Advance In History Of Flying

The Santa Maria will take wing this year.

Trans-Atlantic transport service by airplane will be in the making in the next summer flight of an air-liner across the ocean over which Christopher Columbus sailed his flagship almost 450 years ago.

With the projected voyage will come fresh international races for markets as the world's air routes become trade routes.

This year, say air transport companies, will be the biggest in the history of flying since the Wright brothers lifted their kite-like, spoked contraption off the sands at Kitty Hawk in 1901.

A 25-ton flying boat of Pan-American Airways will ease out over the Atlantic under the impetus of four roaring motors to plot the course of the future trans-Atlantic air voyager.

American airplanes in the transport field already are prepared to inaugurate airmail and passenger service.

The routes are not the problem. It is competition. United States aviation on the Atlantic meets the challenge of those nations which will be United States neighbors when the service gets underway.

The United States does not "nationalize" — subsidize heavily — its commercial air fleets. In place of that, American industry and business men have effected a "commercial nationalization."

The one trans-ocean air transport company of which the United States boasts is financed jointly by widespread American industrial and business interests.

Its flying boats were built behind locked doors. The secrets of their construction have not been divulged.

Although thumbs were turned down on trading of patents with other nations' air lines, trans-Atlantic fleets will be of necessity the result of co-operative effort. Otherwise ports of entry would be barred.

Charting flights probably will start about mid-year, inauguration of airmail service is likely before 1936 closes, and carrying of passengers soon will follow, aviation leaders predict.

Remains Of Early Civilization

Workmen Excavating For Olympic Village Find Many Relics

Traces of an Indo-Germanic settlement, believed to date back 4,000 years, have been brought to light by workmen excavating ground at Doeberitz, Germany, for the Olympic village destined to house the athletes during the forthcoming international games.

Five tombs, a number of crude pickaxes, and a quantity of earthenware were found. The relics were believed to have been left by a tribe, which during the westward migration of Indo-Germanic peoples, settled for a brief period in the spot.

Price Will Be High

Certified Grades Of Crested Wheat Grass Are Available

Work at the Dominion Forage Crops Laboratory at Saskatoon during the month of November, 1935, was largely confined to purchasing seed supplies for use in connection with the various projects of grass development to be undertaken in the spring of 1936 under the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Act. Moderate quantities of registered and certified grades of crested wheat grass are available, but at a relatively high price. There are adequate supplies of seed of other grasses and legumes available.

Clever Woman Lawyer

Member Of Alberta Law Society Was Brilliant Scholar

Second woman in Calgary to become a member of the Law Society of Alberta, Miss Margaret Katherine Jean Tolmie was admitted to the Bar by Chief Justice Horace Harvey. During a brilliant scholastic career she was awarded two governor-general's medals while attending high school, won a scholarship and a B.A. degree at the University of British Columbia, and took her M.A. with honors at the University of Toronto.

Mass Marriages In China

Mass marriages sponsored by the municipal government are becoming popular in Shanghai, China. More than 140 brides were united with their respective husbands recently, conducted by the mayor.

Every time we see a woman with a wrist watch we are curious to know what time it says.

Was Remarkable Figure

Venezuela's Late President Will Be Hard To Replace

The most powerful Dictator in South America is dead. With the passing of Juan Vicente Gomez, President of Venezuela, there vanishes from the scene one of the most remarkable figures of contemporary politics. Born a cattleman, he joined Cipriano Castro in a revolution which was successful and which put the beetle-browed little Castro in the presidential chair. Gomez was content to remain his chief aide, but he commanded the army and he was in reality the power behind the throne. When Gomez went away on leave of absence in 1908 he signed his own dismissal, for Gomez warned him not to return, pretending to be much concerned about rumors of plots against Castro's life.

Ever since then Gomez has ruled Venezuela with an iron hand, smashing ruthlessly any attempt against his power, giving the country a settled policy, building up its finances—Venezuela is the only nation in the world without a nickel of external debt—and making things attractive for foreign capital, so that British investments in the country increased from \$45,550,000 to \$131,860,980 in the four-year period prior to depression, and in 1933 the value of her exports was five times that of her imports.

The masterful dictator disliked crowds, and seldom went to the capital, Caracas, preferring to live a lonely and secluded life on his country estate. Many Venezuelans have never seen him. But he had his ear to the ground 24 hours a day, and he knew everything that was going on. He gave his country a long period of peace, but of course he made hosts of enemies, for his methods were simple but drastic. Those he could catch, he shot; those who could escape from the country remained in exile. But in losing Gomez Venezuela has lost a ruler it will be extremely difficult to replace.—Montreal Star.

Canned Blood

Weird Discovery Listed As Major Accomplishment Of 1935

The weirdest discovery of the year—"canned" blood—was listed by professional authority as medicine's foremost accomplishment of 1935.

A process of taking blood from the bodies of the dead and preserving it to save other lives through transfusions was placed first in a "year book of fame" compiled for the Associated Press by Dr. Morris Fishbein, editor of the Journal of the American Medical Association.

Russian doctors and chemists deserved first rank for developing the "canning" method and using it successfully in more than 1,000 cases, the editor said.

Snow Traps Golden Eagle

Unable To Rise From Ground After Diving For Rabbit

A giant golden eagle was killed near Priddis, Alta., when it was unable to take off in soft snow after diving for a rabbit. Clayton Tompkins, of Calgary, shot the bird as it thrashed around in the drifts. The eagle had a wing spread of seven feet, two inches.

In preparation for a take-off, the eagle must spring into the air sufficiently for the wings to clear the ground. The deep, soft snow prevented the preliminary jump and each successive effort served only to heighten the bird's predicament.

Should Stand By League

The business of this country says the Manchester Guardian is to stand with the members of the League, confirming their loyalty, giving them all the evidence that it can of its friendship—both in this and in a broader field, for we ought to turn to good use this new international unity—and maintaining patiently the principle that the League must hold on until justice is done.

Sending Boys To Queensland

Arrangements are being made to send 10 Boy Scouts to Queensland every month from Great Britain. This announcement was made by the Settlers' League. In London negotiations are still in progress with federal government for financial assistance, under the settlers' agreement, for the boys' passages to Queensland. On arrival, the boys will be given occupations, chiefly in farming.

Living In Caves

More than 1,200 persons make their homes in artificial caverns their ancestors cut out of the limestone cliffs bordering the Loire river in France. Many dwellings are equipped with gas, electricity and radios.

Addis Ababa is the chief coffee market in the interior of Ethiopia.

The Royal Bank of Canada

General Statement

30th November, 1935



LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid up	\$ 20,000,000.00	\$ 35,000,000.00
Reserve fund	1,609,554.65	
Balance of profits carried forward as per Profit and Loss Account	21,609,554.65	13,290.63
Dividends unclaimed	700,000.00	22,322,845.25
Dividend No. 193 (at 8% per annum) payable 2nd December, 1935		\$ 57,322,845.25
Deposits by and balances due to Dominion Government	7,715,162.11	
Deposits by and balances due to Provincial Governments	15,444,455.02	
Deposits by the public not bearing interest	194,267,142.74	
Deposits by the public bearing interest, including interest accrued to date of statement	461,268,432.74	
Deposits by and balances due to other chartered banks in Canada	559,098.76	
Deposits by and balances due to banks and banking correspondents in the United Kingdom and foreign countries	8,922,220.16	688,366,512.53
Notes of the bank in circulation		32,568,425.74
Bills payable		251,681.26
Acceptances and Letters of Credit outstanding		22,026,376.69
Liabilities to the public not included under the foregoing heads		883,859.06
		\$800,919,700.47

ASSETS

Gold held in Canada	\$ 2,483.16	
Subsidiary coin held in Canada	1,205,897.63	
Gold held elsewhere	3,032,551.46	
Subsidiary coin held elsewhere	4,192,877.98	
Notes of Bank of Canada	6,341,885.00	
Deposits with Bank of Canada	55,188,786.03	
Notes of other chartered banks	1,591,586.56	
Government and bank notes other than Canadian	18,688,448.62	\$ 90,244,514.74
Cheques on other banks	\$ 20,376,177.89	
Deposits with and balances due by other chartered banks in Canada	2,129.80	
Due by banks and banking correspondents elsewhere than in Canada	47,007,220.38	67,385,528.07
Dominion and Provincial Government direct and guaranteed securities maturing within two years, not exceeding market value		60,731,910.83
Other Dominion and Provincial Government direct and guaranteed securities, not exceeding market value		127,480,130.80
Canadian Municipal securities, not exceeding market value		8,115,253.44
Public securities other than Canadian, not exceeding market value		13,125,913.64
Other bonds, debentures and stocks, not exceeding market value		11,845,093.28
Call and short (not exceeding 90 days) loans in Canada on bonds, debentures, stocks and other securities of a sufficient marketable value to cover		26,328,679.03
Call and short (not exceeding 90 days) loans elsewhere than in Canada on bonds, debentures, stocks and other securities of a sufficient marketable value to cover		19,216,857.90
		\$423,673,881.73
Current loans and discounts in Canada, not otherwise included, estimated loss provided for	\$217,124,161.59	
Loans to Provincial Governments	354,780.46	
Loans to cities, towns, municipalities and school districts	9,257,791.94	
Current loans and discounts elsewhere than in Canada, not otherwise included, estimated loss provided for	98,189,967.42	
Non-current loans, estimated loss provided for	3,894,714.62	
		328,821,416.03
Bank premises, at not more than cost, less amounts written off	16,043,798.01	
Real estate other than bank premises	3,016,219.61	
Mortgages on real estate sold by the bank	819,172.89	
Liabilities of customers under acceptances and letters of credit	22,026,376.69	
Shares of and loans to controlled companies	4,468,947.11	
Deposits with the Minister of Finance for the security of note circulation	1,600,000.00	
Other assets not included under the foregoing heads	449,888.49	
		\$800,919,700.47

NOTE:—The Royal Bank of Canada (France) has been incorporated under the laws of France to conduct the business of the Bank in Paris, and the assets and liabilities of The Royal Bank of Canada (France) are included in the above General Statement.

M. W. WILSON, President and Managing Director. S. G. DOBSON, General Manager.

AUDITORS' REPORT

TO THE SHAREHOLDERS, THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA: We have examined the above Statement of Liabilities and Assets as at 30th November, 1935, with the books and accounts of The Royal Bank of Canada at Head Office and with the certified returns from the branches. We have checked the cash and the securities representing the returns from the branches. We have also checked the cash and investment securities at several of the important branches.

We have obtained all the information and explanations that we have required, and in our opinion the transactions of the Bank, which have come under our notice, have been within the powers of the Bank. The above statement is in our opinion properly drawn up so as to disclose the true condition of the Bank as at 30th November, 1935, and it is as shown by the books of the Bank.

JAS. G. ROSS, C.A., Auditor. W. G. THOMSON, C.A., Auditor. of Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Company

Montreal, Canada, December 24, 1935.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 30th November, 1934	\$ 1,506,804.99
Profits for the year ended 30th November, 1935, after making appropriations to Contingency Reserve, out of which Reserves provision for all Bad and Doubtful Debts has been made	4,340,522.41
	\$ 5,847,327.40
APPROPRIATED AS FOLLOWS:	
Dividend No. 190 at 8% per annum	\$ 700,000.00
Dividend No. 191 at 8% per annum	700,000.00
Dividend No. 192 at 8% per annum	700,000.00
Dividend No. 193 at 8% per annum	700,000.00
Contribution to the Pension Fund Society	2,800,000.00
Appropriation for Bank Premises	200,000.00
Reserve for Dominion and Provincial Government Taxes	1,037,772.75
Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward	1,609,554.65
	\$ 5,847,327.40

M. W. WILSON, President and Managing Director. S. G. DOBSON, General Manager. Montreal, December 24, 1935.

Honey Export Heavy

Saskatchewan Shipped Seven Tons To Britain Last Year

Production of honey in Saskatchewan during the past year showed an increase of 59 per cent. over 1934, according to figures from the department of agriculture. The total yield was 1,034,000 pounds. The large increase was due to the increased number of bee keepers and to the increased number of bee colonies. Export of Saskatchewan honey to Great Britain this year amounted to seven tons.

Sugar Beet Seed

Canadian Supply May Soon Be Available For Growers

Sugar beet growers of southern Alberta who spent approximately \$50,000 this year for imported seed at the Raymond plant and probably will spend twice that much in 1936 when the Picture Butte plant will be ready to operate, may soon have a Canadian supply available. Seed grown under irrigation was shown at the Lethbridge seed fair and appeared well matured despite a late, cold spring.

Money In Stone

Monumental and ornamental stone masons in Saskatchewan earned \$28,026 in salaries and wages during 1934 while the value of their products was estimated at \$72,214.

In imitation of the American magazine Esquire, an English publisher has launched one called Men Only. As far as picking punk names is concerned, it looks like a dead heat.

ENJOY Your Meals



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ACTS TWO WAYS AT ONCE



A New Geological Picture Of Earth's Recent History Shows Water Level Changes

All the oceans of the earth were a mile below their present level in a new geological picture of the earth's recent history announced by the Geological Society of America on the eve of its annual meeting in New York.

To-day's oceans, all of them, are lapping over their edges, in a world far wetter than a few million years ago, and under the influence of a mechanism still only guessed at.

There is no sign of reason for believing that waters can rise still higher and engulf more dry land in a repetition of the Biblical flood. One basis of the Biblical flood stories might even be the mile rise of the oceans in the last few millions of years.

The unknown mechanism which raises and lowers the waters is believed to be glacial ice. It might also be aided by movements of the earth itself in which the basins of the oceans enlarge at times so that their water levels fall.

The new evidence for this recent low water level will be presented at the opening session of the society's meeting. It is based partly on the findings of a new deep sea punch, to be described by Charles Snowden Piggot, of the Carnegie Institution of Washington.

This punch can be dropped on a line a mile and a half deep. Touching bottom, it detonates small charges of power, causing the punch to bite off a bit of the bottom. It bites rock as easily as mud.

It has brought to the surface an amazing story. Instead of the mud and sediments which should cover the ocean bottoms if they had been submerged for millions of years-hitherto believed by geologists, the punch has brought up rocks, chipped off under water palisades, some as deep as those of the Grand Canyon.

The punch has revealed that the "continental" shelf of the oceans, the area a few miles to scores of miles off shore, averaging about 600 feet deep, where the true ocean abyss begins, is full of deep canyons and valleys, like highlands bordering a seat.

The conclusion is that they are the ancient and true sea shores, their bottoms representing the former sea levels. These bottoms seem to average a mile below present sea level.

Deadly Level Crossing

Crossing Accidents Continue To Take Heavy Toll Of Life

Almost \$35,000,000 has been spent to make level crossings safer for the public, but crossing accidents continue to take a heavy toll, it was disclosed in information obtained from the board of railway commissioners.

The total number of accidents in the 11 months ended Nov. 30 was 214, which resulted in 104 deaths and injuries to 269, compared with 214 accidents, 81 deaths and 262 injured in the 12 months ended Dec. 31, 1934.

Canada cannot hope to eliminate grade crossings for many generations, for there are 31,253. Of this number there are 2,612 with warnings or protective devices, and 28,641 unprotected.

Since the inauguration of the grade crossing fund in 1909 a total of \$34,458,968 has been expended on bridges, subways and warning devices at railway crossings. Of this amount \$6,781,172 was contributed by the grade crossing fund, \$12,439,908 by the municipalities, and \$15,737,888 by the railways. In addition to this a considerable amount was sent by the railways and provinces of which the board of railway commissioners has no record.

Canadian Bacon

First and second prizes were won by Canadian bacon in the competition for bacon produced in the British Empire at the recent 57th annual dairy show held in London, England. In addition, a considerable number of trade inquiries have been received from individuals and firms interested in the other Canadian products displayed—chilled poultry, butter, eggs, hams, milk powder, jelly powder and other commodities.

Canadian Timothy

It is estimated that there are now about 4,000,000 pounds of Canadian timothy seed available for export, and in order to increase the use of this Canadian grown timothy seed in Scotland, arrangements have been made at all the Scottish agricultural colleges to test the seed against that imported from other countries.

A little man thinks he aches just as much as a big man.

Atlantic Air Service

Many Things To Be Considered Before It Is Started

The success of Pan-American Airways in establishing a trans-Pacific air service doubtless spurred the movement to establish a similar service across the Atlantic, which will be greatly facilitated by the agreement that has been signed by the United States and Canada, Great Britain and the Irish Free State.

That the broader Pacific should have been conquered before the Atlantic, beyond which lie our principal commercial connections, was due in part to the necessity in the latter case of getting several countries to permit the landing of foreign planes on their soil. All of the stops on the trans-Pacific flight are on territory under American sovereignty, although an extension of the service from Manila to China is being prepared.

While weather conditions in the North Atlantic, at certain seasons of the year, are difficult to negotiate, there is not a "jump" on either route from London to New York, via Newfoundland, or on the route from London to New York, via the Azores and Bermuda, as long as the "hop" of 2,400 miles from San Francisco to Honolulu, which the Pan-American Clippers have no trouble in taking.

There would seem to be no reason why, if the service across the Atlantic is planned and carried out as carefully as that across the Pacific was, this means of travel between Europe and America should not be safe and popular.—Detroit Free Press.

Origin Is A Mystery

No One Really Knows How Turkey Got Its Name

Tradition has it that the first turkey was taken to England by one of Sebastian Cabot's chief lieutenants. This is supported by the fact that William Strickland, who accompanied Cabot on several of his voyages, adopted a turkey rampant as his crest on being granted arms in 1551. At any rate, the popularity of the turkey as the principal item in the Christmas dinner menu has lasted well over 300 years. But if you think that the title "turkey" has anything to do with the country of that name you are mistaken. The bird is a native of North America, where it was discovered by the early Spanish navigators. Exactly how it got its name is a mystery. Some authorities suggest that the bird christened itself, by its constant reiteration of a sound that resembles "turk-turk-turk." When you are tackling your turkey, you may like to remind the company that the bird's succulent meat was so highly esteemed by sixteenth century churchmen that, by Archbishop Cranmer's orders, only "one dish of turkey cocks" was permitted at feasts and banquets.

Reform Law

Britain To Deal More Leniently With Offenders In Certain Cases

Committal to prison has hitherto been automatic in Britain if an offender who is fined with the alternative of imprisonment fails to pay his fine. This also applies to such cases as failure to pay local taxes or a wife's maintenance.

Under the Money Payments Act of 1935, which will come into force February 1, 1936, the offender who fails to pay must be brought before the court a second time instead of being taken to jail. Imprisonment will be a last resort when the magistrates, after inquiring into the means of the defaulter, become convinced of his bad faith.

The result will be that the offender who can pay but refuses will still go to jail, but the destitute will retain their liberty.

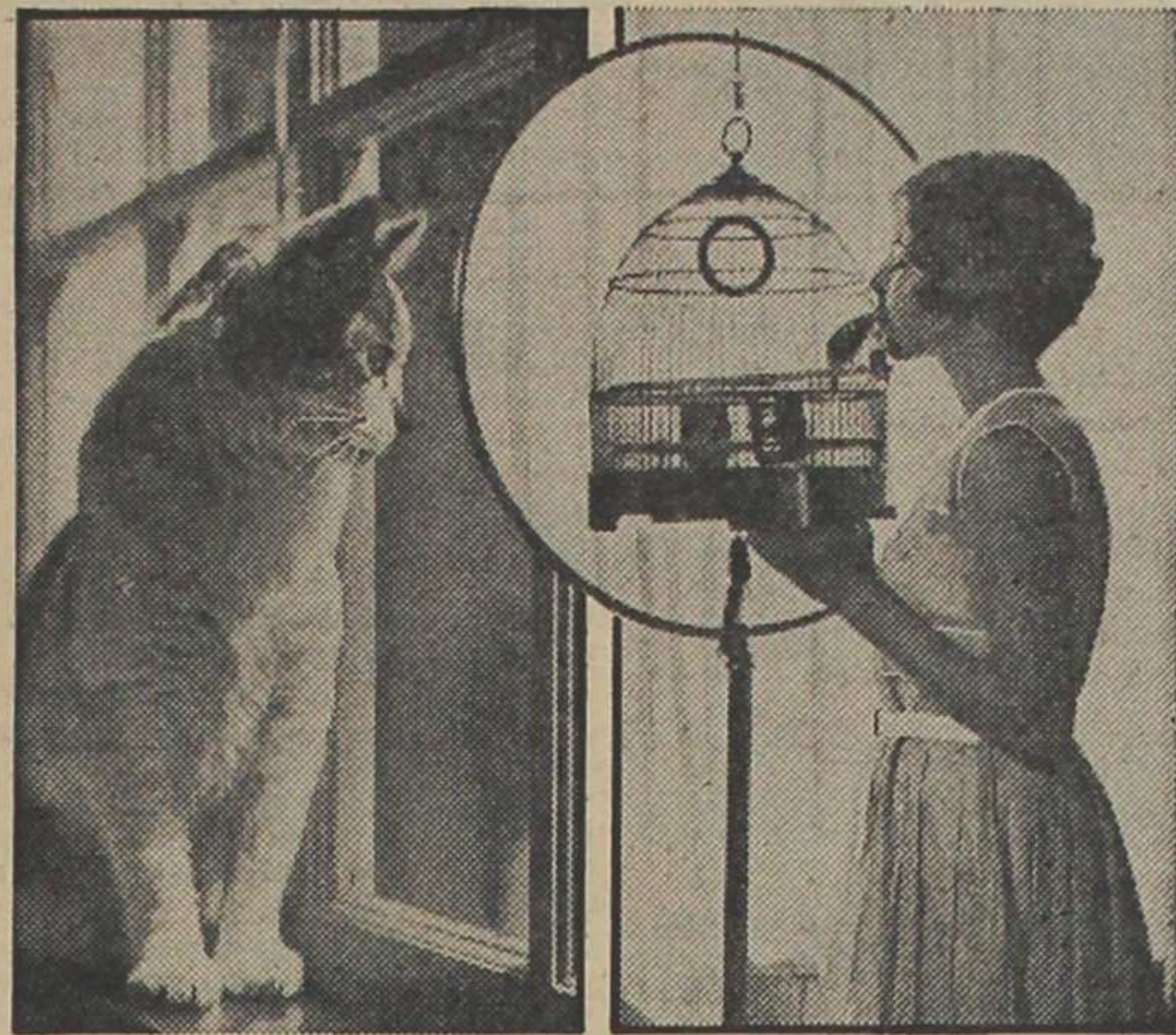
Got Value Anyway

A story is told of a Sunday dinner at which the family was criticizing the church service all had attended. Father objected to the sermon and mother thought it time they hired a new organist. Daughter was severe on the defects of the choir. The son of the house listened uneasily to all this criticism. Finally he put in his word, "After all dad, I think it was a lot for a cent."

Napoleon's Arc de Triomphe, largest and most commemorative arch in the world, will celebrate its 100th anniversary July 29, 1936. It was completed during the reign of Louis-Philippe.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

DON'T FORGET YOUR PETS



Story telling snapshots of your pets breathe life into your snapshot album.

Camera owners who have taken pictures of their pets always find, on looking back over their snapshot albums, that the pictures recall events of bygone years which played an important part in their happiness, and they are mighty glad to have them. So, here are a few ideas for taking such pictures.

If your pet, for instance, has learned some tricks why not make a series of snaps—a "lay-out" or "strip" as a series of pictures is often referred to in the photographic or art departments of newspapers. Perhaps your dog has been taught to sit up, "roll over" or "speak" before receiving his daily bread or a choice morsel of candy. Snaps of "Snip" doing these tricks and mounted in your album as a "strip" across the page will add to the interest and variety of your collection.

You can take such pictures with almost any camera. Of course, if "Snip" displays considerable speed when he "rolls over" you will probably have to shoot outdoors at a shutter speed of about 1/100 second. Where you set your diaphragm opening at this shutter speed depends much on your lighting. The brighter the day the more you can "stop down" to get greater depth of focus. When in doubt use the larger diaphragm opening for it is always

better to overexpose a little than to underexpose.

If the pet is your child's companion, be sure to snap an interesting story-telling picture of the two pals at play. Your five-year-old will probably not appreciate the value of such a picture now but in later years he will thank you for preserving for him those happy days of childhood.

Undoubtedly your cat—alley or otherwise—has his favorite lounging spot in the house, or favorite "look-out" such as that of Mr. J. Thomas Cat, pictured above. Have you ever thought of taking such a picture? Believe it or not, it won quite a substantial prize in a national snapshot contest a few years ago.

And don't overlook the canary, the parrot, love birds, Jimmie's pet rabbits and the many other animals and birds of various and sometimes strange types and breeds adopted by those who favor the unusual. It's perfectly all right to dress up the cat or dog in glasses, cap, pipe, or shove him unceremoniously into a boot or shoe, if the unfortunate animal is small enough to be shoved, but pictures of that type are not long lived as far as enduring interest is concerned. It's the snapshot that tells a story or has human interest appeal that really breathes life into an album.

JOHN VAN GUILDER.

Re-Forested From Air

Tree Seeds Dropped From 'Plane Grow On Island

In making its first non-stop flight from the mainland to Hawaii, the U.S. army aeroplane Bird of Paradise scattered some seeds over a barren portion of the island of Kauai. That was in 1929.

This week a "mystery forest" of thousands of karaka trees was discovered by a group of boys building trails in Waimea canyon. The trees are native to New Zealand and not to Hawaii; therefore their presence was an enigma until the announcement was made. Planting had been done from the air in the mountainous portion through army co-operation with the territorial forestry board.

It is said that the tiger has a more injurious bite than the lion. Somebody must have gone to great pains to find that out.

The radio will never take the place of newspapers. You can't line the shelves with sound waves.

Canadian Maples In England

Trees To Be Planted In Boy Scouts' Training Ground

Twelve Canadian Maple trees are being sent to England by the Dominion Executive Board of the Boy Scouts' Association to be planted in Gilwell Park, the famous leadership training ground of the Boy Scouts, in memory of the visit to Canada last year of Lord Baden-Powell of Gilwell, Chief Scout of the World. A tablet will be erected near the trees indicating their origin. The funds for these maples were obtained through the generous contributions of members of the Council who also defrayed the cost of the loving cup presented to the Earl of Bessborough, Chief Scout for Canada during his term at governor-general.

Forger's Work Preserved

Robert Spring, once a clerk in Washington, D.C., and a famous forger, made such interesting copies of George Washington's signature that they now have a value of their own among autograph collectors.

Applique Is Easy Needlework



PATTERN 5504

You're in for a real "Dutch treat" when you invite this boy and girl from the land of windmills to live up your home and household linens. So easy to do in a combination of applique and outline stitch, patches for their clothes may be selected from any gay cotton scraps you have on hand. You'll find they make both colorful and amusing decoration for tea-cloths, breakfast sets, cushions and scarfs.

In pattern 5504 you will find a transfer pattern of four figures averaging 7½ x 8 inches, applique patches for their clothes, four motifs 2¼ x 2¼ inches; color suggestions; material requirements; illustrations of all stitches needed.

To obtain this pattern send 20 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred) to Household Arts Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg.

There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published

Annual Cost To Canada Of Its Governing Body Runs Into High Figures

To Stabilize Agriculture

West Will Plant Millions Of Trees This Year

Western Canada is bringing the forest to its farmers to stabilize its agriculture.

Providing shade in summer, shield in winter and aiding agrarians in their war on drought and soil drifting, 145,000,000 trees have been planted as shelter belts on 55,000 farms in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta in 35 years of systematic planting. Five million more will be planted in 1936.

Norman M. Ross, chief of the tree planting division of the federal forest nursery station at Indian Head, and his assistant, C. A. Edwards, dipped into facts and figures and found the love of trees brought by farmers from older settled areas provides the incentive for the tree-planting program which is proving its value in dollars and cents to-day to modern farmers.

To the credit of the tree planting program was placed better farm gardens, adequate protection against windstorms, improved appearance and added home comfort, retention of snow moisture, an aid in growing fruit successfully, protection for stock and poultry, attraction for bird life, protection against drought and provision of small fuel.

Fifty thousand trees were planted in 1901, first year the federal government directed the work. Since then, Manitoba has planted 18,700,230 broadleaf and 344,693 evergreens on 7,924 farms; Saskatchewan counted 85,795,970 broadleaf and 1,781,315 evergreens on 32,705 farms and Alberta records showed 37,879,855 broadleaf and 661,370 evergreens on 15,126 farms.

Restocking Fish Streams

A New Policy To Attract The Tourist Trade

A new policy to redeem thousands of virtually fished-out areas close to centres of population across Canada is being prepared by the government to meet the vexed problem produced by the modern twin advancement of transport, better roads and the motor car.

Millions of dollars in tourist trade, chiefly from the United States, are at stake. The motto with which the situation is being attacked is "sport fishing is the best attraction to slow up the speed of the tourist and prolong his visit."

The program will go further than one of stocking and restocking barren water so far as good sport is concerned. Both have been carried on in recent years because of the depletion of hitherto isolated districts which became easy of access. Depending on the conditions of the waters, either small fry or the more fully grown fish have been used in restocking.

Two outstanding successes in stocking have occurred in Jasper Park. Speckled trout was introduced in Medicine Maligne Lake shortly after 1928 and Rainbow and Kamloops trout in Amethyst Lake more recently.

Details of the new policy will be completed shortly. The system in the state of New Jersey of placing full-grown fish in her deteriorated streams is frowned upon in Canada, however, as too costly and destructive to the sporting instinct of those who are prone to wield the rod.

Finger Served As Clue

Severed In Holdup Aided Police In Capturing Bandit

A severed finger has resulted in a four-year labor sentence being passed on a man for a crime near Zanzibar. The finger, preserved in a pickle jar, was the only clue which the Zanzibar police had in their investigation of a case of burglary with violence. An isolated Arab shop in a country district had been entered by four men who attacked the proprietor. The Arab used a knife to defend himself and next morning a finger was found on the floor by the police. A print was carefully taken from it and the finger preserved. The police then discovered a man with a very swollen hand who had a finger missing. His identity was proved by the finger print bureau.

"An awful lot of girls are stuck on me."

"Yes; they must be an awful lot."

Brazil now has the largest number of Japanese outside Japan.

Government comes high in Canada, both in the number of its legislators and the financial compensation given to them. To determine and direct the destinies of 11,000,000 people, Canada has no fewer than 884 representatives in its various parliamentary spheres, or a per capita rate of about one "statesman" to every 12,500 of population. Of this number, 764 are elected and 120 appointed.

Equally rich is Canada in ministers of the crown, there being an even 100 distributed among one Dominion and nine provincial governments. The annual cost to the country in sessional indemnities, ministers' salaries and allowances for speakers approximates \$3,100,000.

Only the Dominion parliament and the legislature of Quebec continue the appointed upper house with an elected commons; seven provinces have only one chamber, elected by popular vote. These are Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia. The third parliamentary system exists in Prince Edward Island where one-half of the legislature is elected by adult suffrage, while the other half is chosen by vote of property-owners.

In the Dominion and eight provinces all Canadian citizens, irrespective of sex, aged 21 or over, have the right to vote. In Quebec provincial elections that right has not yet been achieved by women.

Additional to these 10 taxing bodies, Canada boasts 83 cities and 342 towns. Counties and townships run into the thousands. All exercise the right of taxation.

Edmonton Spring Show

Will Be Held In April With Changes In Prize List

Dates for the Edmonton Spring Show have been set for April 6 to 9 and some of the changes in this year's prize list include a change in the age of the junior exhibitors to 15 to 20 years inclusive and age of the children exhibitors is fixed at 11 to 14 years, inclusive. In the beef calf question two classes are provided, one for juniors and one for children with the weight limit fixed at 850 pounds and the pail feeding requirement eliminated. There are also two classes in the dairy calf section. In foals there is a class for thoroughbred foals and also one for standard-breds. There are two new continuation classes, one for light foals and one for heavy draft foals. These classes are open only to exhibitors who showed the foals in the 1935 Spring Show. Prize money has been increased in many of the horse classes, in the group and carlot cattle classes, and weights in the single cattle classes are for animals weighing 900 pounds or under; 900 pounds to 1,050; 1,050 to 1,200 pounds; and over 1,200 pounds.

First Exhibit Arrives

Covered Wagon Reaches Johannesburg Well Ahead Of Time

Nearly a year ahead of time, the first exhibit for the Empire Exhibition, to be held at Johannesburg, South Africa, from September, 1936, to January, 1937, has arrived at headquarters.

This curious development, which probably stands unique in the history of such shows, is due to an accident. A Dutch University College at the town of Potchefstroom came into possession of a covered wagon, very like those "Prairie Schooners" used by American settlers. It had survived an entire century since it helped to bring thousands of Boer Voortrekkers, or pioneers into the wilds of South Africa, where now the flourishing gold-laden Transvaal and other provinces exist. Unable to house this venerable relic, the Council of the Potchefstroom University College sent it to the Empire Exhibition, which promptly accepted this item for its Transportation Section.

Submarines In North Sea

German submarines operated in the North Sea for the first time since 1919. The signal station at Maloe reported six German undersea craft were seen passing through the Sound in the direction of the Cattegat, arm of the North Sea lying between Sweden and Denmark.

Southern Rhodesia threatens to license its tobacco growers.

Armament and allied industries in Czechoslovakia are booming.

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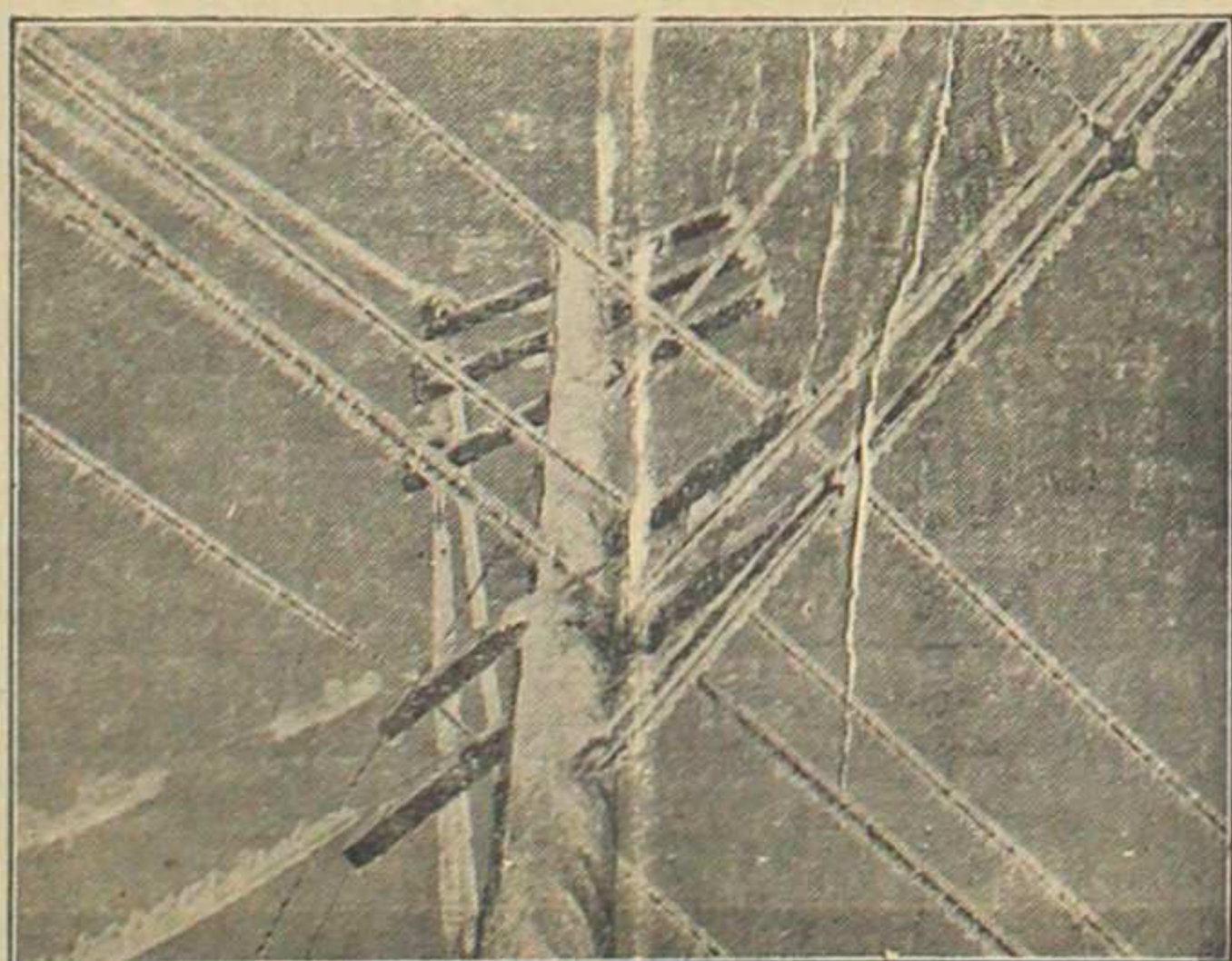
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CITY PROVINCE



At this time last year—shall we have a repetition—old timers say "No"



E. WEBSTER RETURNED TO SEAT BY ACCLAMATION

Commissioner E. Webster was returned to the Abbotsford Village Commission by acclamation at the nomination meeting on Monday. Mr. Webster has held this office continuously since incorporation of the village in 1924, and will retain his seat now for a further three-year period.

SPORT SIFTINGS

Clayburn and Langley soccer teams met on Saturday at Clayburn, and the final score was one-all.

A high wind made ball control difficult, and consequently play was of the kick and rush variety.

Clayburn took the lead in the first half when the ball glanced off one of the Langley defense men into the goal. Langley, however, tied the score in the second half when a high shot twisted by the wind, got by the Clayburn goalkeeper. Although both teams tried hard, the score remained unchanged.

With Clayburn and Langley sharing the points in last Saturday's game, the encounter between Langley and Abbotsford becomes something of a cup final, as a win by either team will give them the league championship. Following is the status of the teams at present:

Team	P	W	L	D	Pts
Clayburn	6	3	2	1	7
Langley	5	3	1	1	7
Abbotsford	5	3	2	0	6
Highland U.	6	1	5	0	2

FLORIST ISSUES NEW LIST

Harbinger of spring is J. P. Carr's gladioli list, which is now being circulated. The Mt. Lehman florist's list quotes reasonable prices upon some 150 varieties of bulbs for spring planting. Copies may be obtained at The News office.

Next practice of the Choral Society takes place on Monday next at 8 p.m. in the Parish hall. It is requested that all members make an effort to be present, as this practice will decide the Society's continuance or disbandment.

M-S-A. HOSPITAL

In hospital December 1st, 15; admitted during month 41; new born, 3. Total—59.
Discharged during month 46; died, 1; In hospital January 1st, 12. Total 59.

Medical 22; major operations 5; minor operations 17; fractures 7; obstetrical 4; new born 4. Total—59.
Matsqui 38 patients, 408 days; Sumas 7 patients, 30 days; Abbotsford, 6 patients, 32 days; Chilliwack Municipality, 1 patient, 31 days; Chilliwack City, 1 patient, 1 day; Langley, 2 patients, 5 days; Vancouver, 1 patient, 1 day; Unorganized, 1 patient, 1 day; Indian 2 patients, 9 days. Total—59 patients, 518 days.

WANT ADLETS

FOR SALE or rent.—18 acres of land, 4-room bungalow nearly new. D. Ferguson, Mt. Lehman rd., ¼-mile north of highway. 1c

STRAYED.—Jersey heifer, 1 year 4 mos. old, no horns. J. Loewen, Ross road near Boundary. 1p

NINE head Jersey cows for sale; springing and in milk. A. Clausen, McKenzie Road.

Am wrecking '26 Chev. and Model T. Ford. All parts for sale; also good tires, 30-3½ and 4.50x21. A. Blackham, phone 127. 1

FOR SALE.—St. Helen's Incubator 320-egg, like new; cheap for cash. C. P. Holbrook, Clayburn 2p

FOR SALE or trade, part hay and part cash, Jersey-Ayrshire, freshening in 2 weeks; guaranteed. J. Reeve, Jackson road. 1p

Two girls, high school education, want work in a store or housework. Experience and references. Box B., News Office. 1p

FOR SALE—2-months old pigs, \$5. C. M. Coghlan, 2 miles north of Taylor gas station, Mt. Lehman road. 1n

100 FRASER Valley shares \$60; interest Jan. 1936. Box B., News. 1c

FOR SALE.—Democrat, also single set Brown harness. Nicholson, Gifford, Matsqui. 1np

FENCE POSTS, mature cedar, very cheap; will trade for hay; P. Reimer, Whatcom road station. 1n

WANTED, Farm hand, comfortable home, small wages. Box, R. News

WANTED TO RENT—Small dairy farm, 10-20 acres; some fruit trees. D. E. McAllister, Huntingdon 1p

FOR SALE.—Extra healthy Cuthbert Raspberry Plants, \$15 per 1000. K. Baker, McKenzie road, 1½ miles south of Abbotsford. 9p

Merchandising Experts Give Out a Few "Wrinkles"

"The greatest mistake some merchandisers make," asserts a nationally famous selling executive "is to diminish their selling invitations in seasons when the public mind is most receptive."

"In casting around for after-Christmas economies, they cut down upon the very commodity that they should use more vigorously—weekly newspaper advertising."

"Your argument has far more force and 'drawing power' when the prospect knows that you know he is not in a position to buy at that precious moment. It rings sincere to him."

"Like sheep, many merchandisers make their most vigorous appeals at the time when the 'mob urge' is at its worst—pre-holiday seasons."

"But great selling organizations are now developing sagacity—they tell of bargains available when the public purse is not just ready—and public response at buying 'peaks' justifies this plan of building-up confidence when the public mind is 'in repose.'"

"Secondary operators will be advised to consider this innovation," he adds "in relation to weekly publications, whose sales appeals lie around the house for days, instead of being discarded after a glance through, as are dailies."

CARD OF THANKS

To the Electors of Ward Three:
I take this opportunity to extend my appreciation and thanks to the electors for the wonderful support given me in the municipal elections, and also to extend my solicitation to Mr. Kettle, the elected councillor.

Yours sincerely,
F. T. AYLING

Card of Thanks

To all my friends, and electors of Ward One who came out and supported me so wonderfully at last Saturday's election, I say—
"Ladies and Gentlemen: Thanks a lot!"

FERD. MATTHEWS

Card of Thanks

To The Ratepayers of Matsqui:
I would like at this time to express my sincere appreciation of the splendid support given me at the Poll on Saturday. The results show that while every one might not always agree with my policies as a Reeve yet by the splendid majority they gave me it would appear that the Public realize the difficulties we have to meet and are of the opinion that with the aid of my Council we are carrying the Municipality through in a fair and business like manner.

G. A. CRICKSHANK

CARD OF THANKS

I very much appreciate the interest shown in me during my contest for councillor in Ward One, Sumas, and wish to thank all those who gave me their support.

SIDNEY CLARK

Card of Thanks

In thanking those who voted and worked for me in ward three, Matsqui, I cannot but say that there are problems in our ward with relief that make it difficult for any man, no matter what political party back him, to make it hard for him to satisfy every one. There are decisions which must be made in the interests of ratepayers as a whole, and I shall conscientiously continue to do my duty as I see it and merit your continued confidence.

L. V. KETTLE

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Sunday Next—
10 a.m. Church School
11 a.m. Morning Worship
7.30 p.m. Illustrated Lecture
Grenfell of Labrador
St. Paul's, Huntingdon
2 p.m. Sunday School
3 p.m. Preaching Service
REV. R. MOSES, Minister

ANGLICAN

St. Matthew's Abbotsford:
11 a.m. Holy Communion
7.30 p.m. Evensong
Lay Reader N. Hill
St. Margaret's, Bradner:
Service will be held at 3.0 p.m.

G. A. MacKAY PLUMBER

GENERAL REPAIRS—ESTIMATES FREE
News Office Basement Abbotsford

A Dollar!

One was traded for a far-away "bargain", but this dollar stayed at home.

Just two years old, it is worn out now. Yet how it served while it lasted!

Changed hands in this district 173 times and always gave someone here a profit averaging 24 cents.

\$4.52 in two years from a One Dollar Bill. Think of that!



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SUGAR BOWLS
Regular Price 75c
SALE PRICE **49¢**

JOHNSTON BROS.
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Regular Price 75c
SALE PRICE **49¢**

JOHNSTON BROS.
Cream & White
GRAVY BOATS—2 PIECES
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TEA AND COFFEE WEEK

PRICES EFFECTIVE THURS., FRI. & SAT., JAN. 30, 31st, FEB. 1st

TEA	COFFEE
Highway, Fam. Blend Lb. 35c	Highway, real val Lb. 25c
Airway, Bkn. Pekoe Lb. 39c	Airway, fresh grnd. Lb. 29c
Safeway, Or. Pek. ½-lb. 25c	Excello, to suit you Lb. 35c

MAIDA VALE, 2nd Gr. Butter - 3 lbs. 79c	FRASER VALLEY Med. Cheese - - Lb. 15c
FRESH Peanut Butter 2 lbs. 19c	MAXIMUM Jelly Powders 4 pkts. 15c

TOMATOES, O. City 2½'s	PEARS Frontier 2 sqt. 2 tins 25c
PEAS, 5's, O. City 2's	RED ARROW CRACKERS 2-lb. 29c
CORN, Aylmer White 2's	2 box 29c
PUMPKIN, R. City 2's	JAM Pure Greengage 4-lb. 35c
GREEN BEANS, Bestoval 2 sqt. ...	
SPAGHETTI, C. Beauty 17-oz.	
CORNED BEEF, Helmet 12-oz.	
SALMON, Pink, tall	
PILCHARDS, Snow Cap, tall	
RED PLUMS, R. City; 2 sqt.	
CLAMS, Eagle tall	
TOMATO CATSUP, Quaker 2's	

KELLOGG'S WHT. KRISPIES 2 pkts. 23c	ROBIN HOOD OATS Pkt. 14c	B & K WHEAT FLAKES 3½ lbs. 19c
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CHICKEN HADDIE	Lg. tin 13c	AUSTRALIAN RAISINS 2 lbs. 19c
HERRINGS IN TOM. SCE.	2 large tins 25c	
EAGLE LOBSTER, ¼'s	Tin 18c	
BANQUET MEAT SPREAD	3 tins 19c	
PASTRY FLOUR, S. Cross	5 lbs. 19c	
EXTRACTS, Artificial, 2-oz.	2 bottles 25c	
WAX PAPER, 40 sheets	2 packets 15c	
WESTMINSTER TISSUE, large	3 rolls 19c	

BROOM VALUES XXX Special 35c Highway - 59c Safeway - 79c	SOAP DEAL! 1 OXYDOL 3 P & G SOAP 1 GUEST IVORY 16-qt. GALV. PAIL All for 55¢	TOILET SOAP Jum. Carb. 3 for 10c Lucerne 3 for 10c Palmolive 3 for 14c Coco Pum. 3 for 14c
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CELERY - - Each 15c	ORANGES - 2 dozen 29c
CABBAGE - - 4 lbs. 10c	LEMONS - - 5 for 10c
LETTUCE - - Each 5c	ORANGES, large Dozen 29c
ONIONS - - 8 lbs. 15c	GRAPEFRUIT - 6 for 19c

SAFeway MARKET SPECIALS

QUALITY BEEF	CHOICE LOCAL VEAL
Blade Roast - Lb. 10c	Shoulders - Lb. 13c
Rib Boiling Beef - Lb. 7c	Legs Roasts - Lb. 17c
Prime Rolled Roasts Lb. 17c	Veal Outlets - Lb. 16c
Fresh Minced Beef 2 lb. 25c	Veal Stew - Lb. 10c
Beef Sausage - 2 lbs. 25c	Lamb Stew - 2 lbs. 25c

Pickled Pig Feet Ready to Serve Lb. 15c	Swifts Pure Lard In Bulk Lb. 15c	Cottage Roll Half or Whole Lb. 23c
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Streaky Bacon - Lb. 23c	Head Cheese - Each 10c
Sweet Pickles - Lb. 28c	½-lb. Bologna - 30c
Ham, sliced to fry Lb. 25c	½-lb. Boiled Ham

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